WEATHER FORECAST

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m., Tuesday:
Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and cold at night.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Capitol—"As Man Desires."
Dominion—"Coming Through."
Coliseum—"A Gaiety Girl."
Playhouse—"So This Is Marriage."
Columbia—"Wandering Husbands."

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FOUL BAY CLAIMS TWO VICTIMS

GERMANS MUST VOTE AGAIN TO CHOOSE LEADER

No Candidate For Presidency Was Given Clear Majority By the People Yesterday

Socialists, Centrists and Democrats May Win if They Combine For Candidate

Berlin, March 30—Final figures from yesterday's presidential election in Germany, announced this morning, show none of the seven candidates received a majority, as required by the constitution, making a second election necessary.

The second polling day has been fixed for April 26. On that occasion the candidate having the highest number of votes will be declared elected.

The polling for the various candidates yesterday was as follows:

Dr. Carl Jarres, candidate of the combined Nationalist and Conservative Bourgeois Parties, 10,387,323.

Otto Braun, Socialist, 7,785,678.

Former Chancellor Marx, Centrist, 2,883,676.

Ernest Thaelmann, Communist, 1,869,563.

Premier Hellpach of Baden, Democratic Party, 1,563,136.

Dr. Held, Bavarian People's Party, 1,002,278.

General Ludendorff, Fascist Party, 284,471.

Void ballots, 24,152.

The total vote, in excess of 26,812,000, was slightly less than sixty-nine per cent. of the qualified electorate.

SOCIALISTS GAINED

The greatest gainers in the election were the Socialists, who profited at the expense of the Communists.

On the face of the returns it would seem likely that three middle parties, the Socialists, Centrists and Democrats, could carry the second election if they should combine on a common candidate even if the votes which yesterday went to Dr. Held and General Ludehdorff should fall to the parties of the Right.

STREET BRAWLS

On the whole, election day passed off quietly, but young men barely of voting age, leagued in the monarchist "Steel Helmet" and the Republican "Reichs Banner" organizations could not resist the temptation to challenge each other in street brawls, with Communist youths occasionally joining in the fray. These incidents had no serious results.

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SQUADRONS SALUTE PRINCE'S WARSHIP

British Atlantic Fleet Glimpses Vessel Varrying Prince of Wales

Royal Traveler Enjoyed Sunny Weather in Bay of Biscay

On Board H.M.S. Repulse, March 30 (By Wireless to London).—The British Atlantic Fleet, which is en route homeward from the combined fleet exercises in the Mediterranean, altered its course to-day at the request of the Prince of Wales, to salute the Repulse, on which the Prince is traveling on his voyage to South Africa and South America.

The Prince was greeted on Sunday with warm sunny weather and a smooth sea as the battlecruiser ploughed her way through the Bay of Biscay headed for South Africa.

After the Repulse left Portsmouth the Prince underwent typhoid innoculation. He led a band of volunteers who took innoculation on the recommendation of the ship's surgeon.

The Prince intends to enjoy the thorough rest before the arrival of the Repulse at Bathurst on the west coast of Africa, April 4.

VACCINATION IN VANCOUVER LEADS TO $1,000 OFFER

Vancouver, March 30.—Alderman G. H. Worthington, M.D., to-day offered to pay $1,000 to anybody who could prove wild reports that the Vancouver Medical Association was behind the regulation calling for vaccination in this city.

He also offered $1,000 to anybody who could prove he was financially interested in or profiting by the enforcement of the vaccination regulations.

CANADA'S IMPORTS SHRINK AND HER EXPORTS GROW

Ottawa, March 30 (Canadian Press)—Imports of foreign goods into Canada showed a decrease and exports of domestic commodities an increase for the twelve months ended February 28 last, as compared with the previous twelve-month period. The value of foreign goods imported into Canada during the twelve months concluded with the close of last February was $799,278,046. For the previous twelve months the importations were valued at $898,338,916.

PEOPLE IN QUEBEC FEAR FLOODS WILL CARRY AWAY HOMES

Quebec, March 30.—The waters of the Beauce and Chaudiere Rivers have started their Spring rise and the residents of the Beauce Valley are in fear their homes will be washed away by the floods. Several lives were lost and considerable damage was caused last year.

This year the swollen appearance of the rivers gives rise to the belief there will be a repetition of the floods.

Some towns and villages have already suffered damage. In St. George the water stands four feet in the streets nearest the river, cellars are flooded and traffic on the streets is impossible except by means of boats.

A wall of ice has been formed a mile above Beauceville and threatens to break up and descend upon the town at any moment. The inhabitants of Central Street, the most exposed section of the town, have left their dwellings. In some places it is impossible to gain access to the homes except through the windows on the ground floor.

TRACKS UNDER WATER

The river has risen a great deal at Ste. Marie and in some sections has covered the railway tracks.

On the whole, the damage thus far is negligible when compared with that suffered in former years, but the fact that the Spring appears to be earlier this year gives rise to the belief that the floods would be more serious in a few days time unless the weather becomes colder.

The inhabitants of farms along the river bands are moving back to temporary dwellings above the high-water marks of previous years.

AT THREE RIVERS

Three Rivers, Que., May 30.—Yamachiche experienced Sunday the worst flood since 1896, when the Yamachiche River rose suddenly four feet, invading all the streets and flooding most of the houses. Damage was heavy. The water rapidly subsided last night and there was no danger this morning.

The water is rising fast at Three Rivers to-day, covering all the piers, but there is considered to be no danger.

PLAN TO REDUCE IMMIGRATION OF JAPANESE

Suggestions Taken Under Consideration by Members of Federal Cabinet

Generally Admitted Terms of Present Agreement Not Well Enforced

By Times Staff Representative

Ottawa, March 30—Far-reaching changes in Canada's Japanese immigration regulations, amounting in effect to a new Oriental immigration policy, have been taken under consideration by the Cabinet, it was learned to-day. British Columbians who are closest in touch with the Oriental question have been asked to lay recommendations before the Cabinet so the Government may mould immigration regulations more effective than those at present in force.

Consideration of a new Japanese policy is the result of much dissatisfaction with the existing regulations, which it is widely asserted and generally believed are being flagrantly violated.

British Columbians assert the number of Japanese immigrants entering Canada now is not confined to the number fixed by the present agreement, and they are urging that if the Government cannot see its way clear to start a total exclusion policy, it should at least frame rules which will actually limit the Japanese immigrants to certain fixed numbers.

NOT ENFORCED

This, of course, is the purpose of the present regulations, but Immigration officials admit they are not being enforced effectively. Application to the Japanese of the present regulations enforced against the Chinese is one of the proposals suggested to the Cabinet in framing the new policy. The Chinese regulations have produced excellent results.

It may require months for the Government to take any final action on the Japanese problem because of the international issues involved. At present the Cabinet is understood to be exploring all phases of the many-sided problem.

Drumheller Area Affected by Flood Damage to Tracks

Calgary, March 30.—Drumheller and Wayne are cut off from direct communication over the Canadian National Railway system with Calgary, owing to five bridges on Rosebud Creek being badly damaged by freshet conditions.

Trains are being routed over the line (Grand Trunk Pacific) by way of Alix, Warden and Big Valley to Drumheller. The usual schedules are being maintained over this roundabout route. It will be a week before the regular service can be restored.

GREAT POWER PLAN IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Fredericton, N.B., March 30.—The estimated cost of the construction of the dams and the necessary plant and other works in connection with the Government's proposed hydro-electric development at Grand Fall is $6,000,000, according to Premier Veniot, who states the estimate does not include the transmission lines. The plant, which will provide from 60,000 to 80,000 horsepower, is expected to take two years to construct.

STOCK PRICES IN NEW YORK TO-DAY FELL WITH SPEED

New York, March 30.—Another drastic decline in stock prices took place here to-day, fifty issues crashing to new low levels. The selling was generally described as a further correction of the weakened technical position of the market resulting from the speculative excesses of last month and the subsequent closing out of weakened marginal accounts.

GREAT FEAR CAUSES MAN TO REGAIN POWER TO WALK

Kearny, N.J., March 30.—Fred Kieber of Lyndhurst, N.J., for six years a victim of partial paralysis, walked without crutches to-day as a result, he believes, of excitement during a rampage of a maniac in a hospital here last Wednesday, when two other patients and three nurses were attacked. Kieber leaped from his bed and sprinted up a stairway to escape Peter Granato, who sprang upon him in bed and attempted to strangle him.

Granato leaped from a window after his outbreak, but was captured.

HAS AN OPERATION; PREMIER MASSEY

Wellington, March 30.—Premier W. F. Massey of New Zealand has undergone an operation. He has been indisposed for some time and more serious symptoms have now been noted. The nature of his illness is not stated. This evening his physician reported he had passed a good afternoon and that his general condition was regarded as satisfactory.

Diocese of Cariboo Will Elect Bishop

Kamloops, March 30.—At a meeting of the executive of the Anglican Diocese of Cariboo it was decided to hold a synod meeting on Thursday, May 14, for the purpose of electing a bishop of Cariboo.

At the first election, held last Fall, the diocese could not come to a decision on the appointment of a Bishop of Cariboo and it was resolved to postpone the final settlement until this Spring. The decision of the executive is in accordance with the wishes of the diocese as expressed at that time.

THREE NEW BRIDGES OVER FRASER RIVER

First One Will Replace Spuzzum Suspension Structure, Says Dr. Sutherland

Others Are Expected to be Built For the Benefit of North Bend

Vancouver, March 30. — Three highway bridges may cross the Fraser River between Yale and Lytton, it was announced, by Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, to-day.

Tenders for the first of these, the one which will replace the historic Alexandria Suspension Bridge at Spuzzum, will be called almost immediately. The new bridge will also be a suspension bridge, said Dr. Sutherland, that being the only suitable type of bridge for such a crossing.

CHEAPEST TYPE

"It is also the cheapest type of bridge," he said, "and we do not expect to cost in excess of $100,000."

The necessity for two other bridges arises from a desire to include the prosperous railway town of North Bend on the Provincial Highway. At present the highway passes North Bend on the opposite side of the river.

NO ELECTION DATE SET, SAYS PREMIER

King Informs Commons He Has Not Even Considered the Matter as Yet

Question Brought up in House By Robert Forke, Progressive Leader

Ottawa, March 30 (Canadian Press)—"The Government has not decided on a date for a general election. So far as I am concerned, the matter has not been considered," said Premier King in the House of Commons this afternoon.

The question came up when Robert Forke, leader of the Progressive Party, read a Canadian Press dispatch from Winnipeg which quoted Hon. E. J. McMurray, Solicitor-General, as suggesting an election following the prorogation of Parliament.

While Mr. Forke was reading the dispatch, William Duff, Liberal, Lunenburg, N.S., called to the Progressive leader: "Speak for yourself, John," and the House rocked with laughter while the Prime Minister rose to make a reply.

BUDGET DEBATE

Ottawa, March 30 (Canadian Press).—The budget, which has already been the subject of debate for two days in the House of Commons, will hold the floor for the present week. A score of members of the Conservative party and a larger number of Progressives are said to be anxious to press their views on the statement of Acting Finance Minister

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Late Wire Flashes

MACLEOD ACCIDENT

Calgary, March 30.—Isolated by a broken gas main, MacLeod, in South Alberta, has been without light, heat or water in freezing weather. Gas fuel was used at the electric power house.

JOSEPH SMEETS DIED

Metz, Alsace, March 30. — Joseph Smeets, well known as the German Separatist leader, died to-day. Smeets was shot and seriously wounded at Cologne on March 17, 1923, and his secretary was killed.

RELIEF REQUEST FAILS

Edmonton, March 30.—That $500,000 be immediately appropriated by the Provincial Government for the relief of wholly and partially unemployed workers in Alberta was the demand made by a deputation of unemployed men that waited upon the Government this morning. Premier Greenfield, on behalf of the Government, definitely refused to consider such a proposal.

HERRIOT RESOLUTION

Verdun, France, March 30.—Three thousand Radicals yesterday adopted a resolution praising Premier Herriot for his defence of democratic doctrines against the great offensive of the clerical reactionary forces.

ELLINGSON TRIAL

San Francisco, March 30.—Judge Harold Lauderbach postponed today for twenty-four hours the murder trial of sixteen-year-old Dorothy Ellingson to inquire into the present mental condition of the girl, who is charged with killing her mother in the bedroom of their home last January after a dispute over the girl's pursuit of jazz and joyriding.

BY-ELECTION IN GRAND FORKS IS EXPECTED IN MAY

Vancouver, March 30.—The provincial by-election in the Grand Forks constituency will probably be held in May, according to Hon. W. H. Sutherland, who is in Vancouver, having recently visited Grand Forks.

"The Government has every confidence of winning the vacant seat," said the Minister of Public Works. "The special court of revision will be held early in April and there seems to be no reason for delaying the election after that."

"TOD" AIKMAN DIES SUDDENLY AT HOME HERE

Was Well-known Member of Legal Profession and Native Son

Death removed with tragic suddenness yesterday one of the most familiar figures in the legal world of Victoria in the person of James Allan Aikman, known to a wide circle of friends and associates as "Tod" Aikman. Apparently in his usual health throughout the morning, Mr. Aikman suddenly collapsed in the afternoon at his home, 20 Gorge Road, and expired before medical assistance could be secured. His death is all the more tragic in that he is survived by his widow and a baby daughter, his only child, who was born two weeks ago.

The late Mr. Aikman was born in Victoria on September 10, 1871, the son of Hugh Bowlsby William Aikman, K.C. From his earliest boyhood he seemed destined to follow a legal career, for his father was one of the oldest practitioners in British Columbia, for many years associated with the well-known law firm of Drake, Jackson and Helmcken, and subsequently holding the office of Registrar-General of Titles for British Columbia.

After his early education in the public schools of Victoria and New Westminster, "Tod" Aikman studied law, and was called to the British Columbia bar in 1893. He first took up a practice in the Kootenay dis-

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BANK WRECKERS ARE SOUGHT BY POLICE

Ring in United States is Believed to Have Been Nationwide

Memphis, Mo., March 30.—A ring of bank wreckers, nation-wide in scope, is believed to-day by Charles L. Moore, prosecuting attorney of Scotland County, to have been uncovered.

Mr. Moore said that through forty-nine operations the alleged ring had obtained $1,151,748. Banks in Missouri were hardest hit, he said, adding that the institutions in the state that were still operating had been closed as a result of the wreckers' operations.

Mr. Moore named J. B. McCutchan of St. Louis, under arrest in connection with alleged manipulations of bank paper, as head of the ring. He stated the ring operated by "kiting" cheques and selling certificates of deposit.

The ring, Moore said, operated as far east as Pittsburg and west to the Pacific.

RADIO SUCCESS WITH UNDERGROUND SET

Washington, March 30.—Announcement that he had succeeded in reaching the Pacific coast with radio signals from the underground transmitting set with which he has been experimenting for several years was made here last night by Dr. James H. Rogers. His efforts to obtain reception of the waves from his underground station at Hyattsville, Md., near here, on the coast, after previously reaching points as far distant as New Mexico, were crowned with success last night, Dr. Rogers said, when he received a telegram from an amateur signal station operator at Los Angeles saying the signals were "coming in finely."

Aviators are Preparing for North Pole Attempt

Oslo, March 30—Lincoln Ellsworth, engineer and aviator, who is to participate in Captain Roald Amundsen's flying expedition to the North Pole, arrived here to-day. He said it was expected the entire aerial trip would be accomplished in seven hours.

If it should prove possible to land, the expedition would remain at the Pole twenty-four hours for observation and exploration purposes.

YOUNG MEN LOSE LIVES WHEN FISHING BOAT OVERTURNS IN TIDE RIP OFF TRIAL ISLAND

Police Search for Bodies of L. G. Steverson and W. D. Lewis, Disabled War Veteran Men and Boat Disappear Before Rescuers Can Reach Scene of Tragedy.

The waters of Foul Bay claimed two more victims Sunday. An eleven-foot boat in which Leonard George Steverson, aged 22, 174 Bushby Street, and W. D. Lewis, 27, 1526 Dallas Road, were fishing yesterday, capsized in a racing tide-rip off Trial Island.

Before rescue parties could reach the scene of the tragedy the upturned boat to which the two men frantically clung had submerged and the last hope of saving them was shattered.

When R. D. Okell, lighthouse keeper at Trial Island, and William Grant, 258 Mills Street, reached the spot where the victims were last seen they were unable to find a trace of them.

WITNESSED TRAGEDY

The tragedy was witnessed by the lighthouse keeper at Trial Island, who, with William Grant, put off in a boat in an effort to overtake the upturned craft and rescue the two men struggling in the water. Despite the fact that their efforts were directed by others with binoculars at the lighthouse, the rescue boat failed to sight the upturned craft or its former occupants.

The two men had put out to Trial Island, in an eleven-foot boat, previously in the afternoon. They left the lighthouse station, and regained their boat about 3 p.m. Shortly after that hour Mr. Okell heard what he thought was a cry from the water. At first he put it down to a seagull, but went to make sure.

FIGHTING FOR LIFE

He saw the upturned boat with one man clinging to it by an arm over the keel, while a few feet away in the water was the other man struggling in the trough of the waves. Realizing in an instant the danger from such immersion in the cross of the wind and tide, Mr. Okell ran out a boat, and was joined by Mr. Grant, both of whom pulled for all they were worth to the scene.

IN THE TIDE

A tide was running at the time, and though the rescue party made desperate efforts to overtake the upturned craft, the direction of which was signalled to them from the lighthouse by Mr. Okell's son, who watched with glasses, they saw nothing further. The boat was rowed about for a considerable time, without result.

SCOURED THE WATERS

Mr. Okell returned to telephone to the provincial police, and without loss of time Sergeant Bob Owens and Constable W. J. Hatcher of the provincial police went to the scene, with the assistance of a launch from the B.C. Pilotage Association, and scoured the waters in the neighborhood for a considerable time without result.

Leonard George Steverson was the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Steverson, 174 Bushby Street. He was single, twenty-two years of age, and was employed at the Victoria Mattress Company. Born in Victoria Mr. Steverson was well at home in a boat, and was accustomed to fishing off Dallas Road. His father is a member of the engineering staff of the Provincial Parliament buildings.

DISABLED VETERAN

His companion, W. D. Lewis, leaves a wife and two children at Gabriola Island, where Mr. Lewis was born. He was twenty-seven years of age, and visiting at the time with his father-in-law, A. Henry, 1526 Dallas Road. Mr. Lewis was a war veteran who had suffered major disablement during the war. Both young men were known to a wide circle of friends to whom the news of the affair came as a great shock.

The police launch Dorothy, stationed in Gulf Island work, has been commissioned to take part in the search for the victims of the Trial Island tragedy of yesterday afternoon. The Dorothy reached the scene this afternoon and joined other boats in a search for the bodies of L. G. Steverson and W. D. Lewis.

TRAIN ROBBERS' LOOT WAS OVER $50,000

Chicago, March 30.—Police today are searching for two robbers who late Saturday night held up the express messenger of the New York Central passenger train No. 28, eastbound from here to Buffalo, N.Y., took loot estimated at between $50,000 and $100,000 and escaped at Laporte, Indiana.

TORONTO PRISONERS TRIED TO ESCAPE

Guards Foiled Effort of Twenty-two Men in the City Jail

One Guard Was Beaten on Head and Now Lies in a Hospital

Toronto, March 30—Twenty-two prisoners in the Toronto jail were involved in an attempt to escape last evening. Guard Thomas Richards was badly beaten and is now in a hospital. The other guards had a desperate battle with the prisoners and police reserves were rushed to the jail. None of the prisoners escaped.

The ringleaders in the attempted break are said to have been James Moss, serving a sentnce of from eighteen to twenty-four months for shopbreaking, and Andrew Morrison, serving a sentence of from six months or two years for automobile stealing. They have been isolated by Governor Basher and will appear in police court on a charge not yet determined.

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SIX WOUNDED IN CLASH AT CHURCH

Ninety-seven Arrested Following Disorder in Aguascalientes, Mexico

Mexico City, March 30.—Two officers and four privates were wounded and thirty-six men, ten women and one Spanish priest were arrested, as the result of a clash between Federal soldiers and worshippers outside the Church of San Marcos in Aguascalientes yesterday.

The worshippers, who for some time had been guarding the church building, are declared in reports to have opened fire upon the soldiers as the latter approached the church on patrol duty, the guardians of the edifice believing the troops intended to take over the building for the purpose of transferring it to members of the newly-created Mexican Apostolic Church. It is believed several worshippers were wounded but are remaining in hiding for fear of arrest.

President Calles has ordered the military commandant at the town to take energetic action for the suppression of disorders.

Church Procession Is Seen in Cannes

Cannes, March 30.—A procession of Catholics, in which it is estimated there were 25,000 persons, marched through the streets of Cannes Sunday in absolute silence. It was headed by Cardinal Charest and other high prelates and members of the village government.

The paraders made their way to the fair grounds, where the cardinal and others addressed them. A resolution of protest against the suppressing of the French Embassy at the Vatican and the introduction of secularization laws in Alsace and proclaiming a determination to "organize for the defence of religious liberty" was passed.

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"TOD" AIKMAN DIED

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trict, then came back to Victoria, and for a time practiced in this city. Subsequently he went North to the Yukon, and for some years was in practice there with the late Agent-General F. C. Wade. His own city, however, held a strong attraction for him, and he again came South, and was associated in turn with C. K. Courtney, the firms of Aikman and Austin, and Aikman and Shaw, and latterly had practiced on his own. He had an extensive practice in both civil and criminal law.

In 1923 Mr. Aikman was elected president of the Victoria Bar Association, and in that capacity represented the local members of the profession at the convention of the Canadian and American Bar Associations held in Ottawa.

In politics the late Mr. Aikman was an active adherent of the Conservative cause. For some years he had been on the central executive of the Conservative party, representing Ward One, and was a prime mover in the McBride Conservative Club, being its president for a year.

The remains are reposing at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

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GIRL WAS KILLED

Windsor, Ont., March 30.—Attempting to turn into Oulette Arena, a car with four occupants this morning crashed into the corner of a store, knocking the supporting columns out of place and causing the building to collapse upon the occupants. Laurette Dube, sixteen, was killed and three persons were injured.

SWIMMING RECORDS

Toronto, March 30.—Several provincial records were made at the Ontario Indoor Swimming Championship meet on Saturday. Tommy Walker, in the 100-metre backstroke, finished in 1 minute 15 4-5 seconds, which is a shade slower than the Olympic record made last year. Mabel Carson won the forty-yard skip in 25 2-5 seconds, while Turner Chapman's time for the twenty-metre breast stroke was 3.10, both new Ontario records.

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DOLES ARE ASKED IN NOVA SCOTIA

Ex-Soldiers Who Are Among Coal Mine Strikers Make Request of Ottawa

Halifax, March 30.—No outward change took place in the Nova Scotia coal strike situation over the week-end.

R. M. Wolvin, president of the British Empire Steel Corporation, who had been spending some days in Cape Breton, arrived here this morning, accompanied by J. E. McLurg, vice-president. Asked by the Canadian Press to discuss the situation, Mr. Wolvin said he had no new developments to announce. It was assumed he would hold a conference with Premier Armstrong of Nova Scotia to-day.

VETERANS' REQUEST

Claiming they had "left the rations parades in France," war veterans in the mining centres are demanding that the Federal Government pass an Order-in-Council similar to those passed in 1919-20-21-22 authorizing the payment of out-of-work doles to ex-Service men, except that in this instance such relief be also extended to non-pensioners instead of to pensioners only, as in the years mentioned.

The strike began on March 6.

GERMAN ELECTION

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EXPECTATIONS TOO HIGH

The vote of Dr. Hellpach, Premier of Baden, failed to come up to the expectations of his campaign managers.

General Ludendorff cut a sorry figure in the returns, while Dr. Held, the Bavarian Premier, failed to develop in his own state the strength expected of his candidacy.

In the small village of Voburg four votes were cast for Wilhelm Hohenzollern, former Kaiser of Germany.

FAIR WEATHER

The splendid weather seemed to have a prejudicial effect on the voters, many of whom preferred to spend the day in excursions rather than in visting the polling booths, and in consequence the percentage of voting was much lower than in the last Reichstage election.

Potsdam appeared to take but little interest, the staunch monarchists there seeming indisposed to vote for a republican president, although it was observed that some of the members of the former royal house, including Eitel Friedrich Hohenzollern, recorded their votes.

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Dr. T. W. Butler will be at home to friends at 7.30 p.m. Sunday, March 29, 24 Mount Edwards Apartments. ***

See "A Mirror for Souls," April 1, Memorial Hall, 8 p.m. Tickets 25c, 50c, 75c, at Fletcher Bros', Litchfield's and Memorial Hall. ***

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Under the auspices of St. Paul's A.Y.P.A., a lecture will be given by Dean Quainton on the "Humors and Pathos of a Parson's Life" on Monday, March 30, at 8 p.m. Admission 25 cents. ***

The King's Daughters' daffodil tea, April 2, 3-6 p.m. Admisson, including tea, 35c. ***

See the mystery play, "A Mirror for Souls," Wednesday, April 1, Memorial Holl, 8 p.m. Tickets, 25c, 50c and 75c. ***

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ALLEGED TO HAVE KICKED CONSTABLE

Hindu in Vancouver Said to Have Spoken Profanely to Peace Officers

Vancouver, March 30.—That the accused had refused to move when ordered to do so, stood in the middle of the sidewalk and berated the police force in language of a most profane nature, and finally kicked a constable in the stomach, was the testimony given by policemen when H. Singh appeared before Magistrate Findlay here to-day charged with assaulting an officer in the execution of his duty. Decision was reserved until tomorrow.

The assault is alleged to have taken place two weeks ago outside a Pender Street establishment where morality squad officers were staging a raid, while they were making a passageway for the arrested men to get to the patrol wagon, it is alleged Singh became involved with the police.

The accused denied the charge.

It was charged in police court that Singh had a previous record for assault and in 1922 was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary on a statutory charge, apparently being out on parole at the present time.

Government to Take Point Grey Lands Out of Municipality

In view of the fact that the electors of Point Grey have turned down the proposed agreement between the Government and the municipality of Point Grey in respect of University lands, the Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, announces he is having an order-in-council prepared withdrawing the lands from the confines of the municipality of Point Grey and it will hereafeer be administered by the Government as unorganized territory until such time as a change is desirable.

NO ELECTION DATE

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Robb. The number of Liberals who wish to take part in the debate is probably smaller, but between the three parties there are peinty of intending speakers to keep things going for this week, and probably part of next. It has been suggested that the debate will end before the members leave on Wednesday, April 8, for the Easter recess, but this is uncertain.

Hon. H. H. Stevens, Conservative, Centre Vancouver, will be the first speaker to-day.

SHIP SUBSIDY

The special committee which will inquire into the contract between the Government and Sir William Petersen for the operation of a steamship service on the North Atlantic will probably be organized this week. It may not begin the real work of investigation, however, until after the Easter recess.

This committee is regarded as one of the most important to be constituted this session, and a number of witnesses, among them Sir William Petersen himself, will be asked to appear before it. The Prime Minister's motion for the appointment of the committee is on the Order Paper and will be moved early this week.

TORONTO PRISONERS TRIED TO ESCAPE

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STRUCK ON HEAD

As far as can be ascertained, it appears Richards went to the cell of Moss and Morrison to caution them against yelling and making a noise and when he entered he was struck on the head with the leg of a stool. He collapsed to the floor and his keys were taken from him and cell doors of other prisoners were unlocked. The freed prisoners obtained brooms and, snapping off the handles, moved forward. Guard Edwards, hearing cries for help, ran to the third floor and found Richards unconscious. He carried him to the main corridor and called for the governor, who immediately summoned the police. The prisoners, reaching the second floor, proceeded to the main floor, where they were halted by the guns of Governor Basher and Guard Edwards. Sacrificing valor for discretion, the prisoners abandoned the attempt and returned to the top floor.

When the carloads of police arrived at the jail most of the prisoners had retreated to their cells.

ROBBERY IN NEW YORK

New York, March 30.—Four armed men to-day raided the offices of Sobel and Kaleko, diamond brokers, in Maiden Lane and escaped with unset diamonds valued at between $50,000 and $100,000.

BLOCK SURROUNDED

Police and detectives surrounded the block and began a minute search for the bandits. The robbers were unmasked.

When T. Kaleko went to his office about 10 o'clock two customers were waiting. As he spoke to them he placed the wallets containing the jewels on a nearby desk.

Just then four armed men entered and ordered "Hands up and not a word." One of them grabbed the wallets. The other three bound and gagged Kaleko and his two customers and then fled.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1 I.O.O.F.
Columbia Lodge No. 2 I.O.O.F.

The members of above Lodges are requested to meet at their Hall on Tuesday, March 31, at 1.30 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Brother, Hugh Grant, P.G.

Service to be held at McCall Bros'. Funeral Parlors at 2 p.m.

Members of Sister Lodges and sojourning Sisters and Brethren are respectfully invited to attend.

FRANCES A. WALKER, Secretary, Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1.
D. DEWAR, Secretary, Columbia Lodge No. 2.

PIONEER OF NANAIMO DIES AT LANGFORD

Frederick Danford Found Dead in Bed This Morning

Frederick Danford, a pioneer Nanaimo citizen making a periodical Winter stay at the MacDonald Ranch, Langford Lake, was found dead in his bed this morning when friends went to rouse him for breakfast. The late Mr. Danford was seventy-eight years of age and had passed away peacefully in his sleep from natural causes. The body was removed to the McCall Funeral Company premises by the Provincial Police. Coroner E. C. Hart was notified but decided inquest would be unnecessary.

The late Mr. Danford was born in Ontario, of Irish parentage. He had spent a great deal of his life in Nanaimo and was in the habit of passing six months of the year in that city and the remainder between Victoria and mainland points. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

BRIDGES CARRIED AWAY BY FLOODS

Spring Freshets do Damage in Province of Saskatchewan

Woodrow, Sask., March 30.—Three bridges in this district were carried away by flood waters Saturday and a fourth, the C.P.R. bridge across the Wood River, was weakened by the rush of ice and water.

The stele traffic bridge across the Wood between Woodrow and Lafleche was the first to go. It was followed by another three miles north on the same stream. About the same time still another went out on Pinto Creek, south of Woodrow, thus cutting off the town from the south country. The steel bridge over the Wood was on the Government road. The piers of the railway bridge, close to the traffice bridge, are reported as damaged.

While families in the district have clung to their homes, practically all have made arrangements to leave at a moment's notice. Grain has been removed from granaries and placed on the roofs of barns. The water was receiding slightly this morning.

TRAPPERS' RIGHTS CLAIMED BY INDIANS

Peterboro, Ont., March 30.—"As long as grass grows or water runs, Indians ca ntrap, hunt or fish."

This was the unique defence put up by three Quebec Indians charged with trapping without a license near Campbellford, whose cases were adjourned pending the obtaining of counsel for their defence. A lawyer from the Indian Department will be obtained.

The Indians were acting on the advice of their chief, James Moses, who cited a statute which he claimed exempted his tribesmen and the original treaty between the "Great White Queen and the Indians."

Tel-avin People Heard Lord Balfour

Tel-Aviv, Palestine, March 30.—That the rebuilt Jewish community of Palestine will make new important contributions toward the culture and civilization of the world was the conviction expressed here by Lord Balfour in a speech delivered by him, following the conferring on him the freedom of the city at the City Hall.

"I believe with you in the development of a future Palestine which should be based on the glorious past," he said. "My hope is this direction is based on many reasons, mainly because the Jews know very well their future and the future of this immortal country. The success of the Zionists' efforts depends upon their conviction that the revival of Palestine should be not only for the benefit of the Jews and Palestine, but for all of humanity."

Beatrice Ready To Resume Run

The C.P.R. Princess Beatrice will be finished by Yarrows Limited tomorrow and will proceed after about a week on the marine ways and a general overhaul, to Vancouver, to resume her northern service. She has been refitted, generally repaired, given a new tailshaft, cleaned and painted.

GROWING RELIGIOUS FREEDOM IN RUSSIA

Toronto, March 30.—Rev. G. H. Rouchbrooke, European Baptist Commissioner, who after several visits to Russia is now in Toronto to give addresses to Baptist organizations, expresses the opinion that order is being slowly established in that country.

He states there is a growing religious and political freedom and a currency above par, maintained through an economic policy which puts great restrictions on imports.

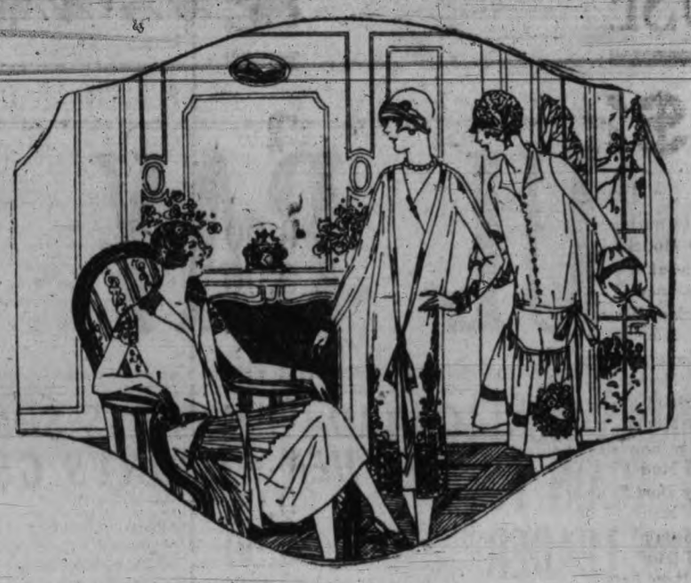
He states that in Russia there are about 1,000,000 communicating adherents of a denomination which, while known under a different name, has all the earmarks of the Baptist faith.

VANCOUVER FINES

Vancouver, March 30.—One hundred and thirty-three arrests made by the morality squad in Vancouver over the week-end resulted in fines and forfeitures totaling $1,485 being imposed by Magistrate Findlay when the cases were called in police court to-day. Of the total amount, $1,110 was contributed by Chinese gamblers.

TWO BOYS DROWNED

Regina, March 30.—Harold and Archibald Buckwater, brothers, were drowned Sunday afternoon near Keeler in the swollen Apple River. No details of the tragedy could be learned save that one of the boys fell into the water and got into difficulties and the brother went to help.



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SIR ADAM BECK IS ILL IN BALTIMORE

Toronto, March 30.—A special dispatch to The Toronto Evening Telegrame from Baltimore says Sir Adam Beck, chairman of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission, who is confined to a hospital there, continues to improve. It is expected he will not leave the institution fr a month at least, however.

REPORTS DISCREDITED

New York, March 30.—Leading soft coal carrying railroads here discounted to-day from Montreal that a request would be made in this country to reduce freight tonnage rates thirty-six cents on bituminous slack coal for Canada to offset a tariff boost of thirty-six cents a ton proposed on the commodity there. Reports from Montreal were that an application would shortly be filed at Washington to reduce the ePnnsylvania-Montreal rate from $4.49 to $4.13 a ton on slack coal.

ANGORA AS CENTRE FOR AMBASSADORS

Constantinople, March 30.—The Turkish Government has addressed a note to the powers asserting it can not agree to the continuance of foreign embassies in Constantinople. It demands the transfer of the embassies to Angora, in Asiatic Turkey, the present seat of the Government.

$40,000 FIRE SEEN IN ST. JOHN, N.B.

St. John, N.B., March 30.—Damage estimated at nearly $40,000 was caused by a fire which on Sunday damaged the automobile building of Royden Foley here and two homes in the same structure.

Sharp Earthquake In Central America

Washington, March 30.—A sharp earthquake estimated to have centred in the lower part of Central America or the northern part of South America was recorded late Sunday by the instruments of Georgetown University.

DIED OF BURNS

Oshawa, Ont., March 30. — While burning rubbish in her yard here Saturday, the clothing of Mrs. M. Ferris caught fire, resulting in her death fre

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Fewer Rookies At Baseball Training Camps This Year

Seventy-two Youngsters Trying to Catch Places With Major League Clubs

New York, March 30.—National League clubs have corraled an aggregation of seventy-two rookies for Spring training trials, according to official data on this subject gathered at National League headquarters here. This array is considerably below last year's total, when about 100 joined the Southern caravans, but it includes some of the brightest prospects of many years.

Pittsburg, which developed a sensational group of youngsters last season, has combed the minors for additional talent with the result that the Pirates have fourteen new men on their list, more than any other club. Chicago and Boston come next with eleven each. Philadelphia has nine, St. Louis, Brooklyn and Cincinnati seven each, while the champion New York Giants come last with only six.

Thirty-nine of the total array are budding moundsmen. Texas League proved the most popular recruiting ground with twelve entries for the 1925 big show. The Southern Association furnished eight, the Pacific Coast League seven, the Virginia five and the Western League, four. The International League furnished only one. This circuit was last in the 1924 list and also had fewer big league rookies on option than any other important minor league. Four college men also are included in the new talent.

That elusive boarding house which you have determined to find some day may be advertised to-day.

Austrian Finance Minister in London

London, March 30.—The Austrian Finance Minister, Dr. Ahrer, arrived here to-day and visited the Treasury and the Bank of England.

Jubilee Sewing Meetings.—Mrs. E. H. Griffiths, convener of the sewing meetings of the Jubilee Hospital W.A., announces that these will resume on the first and third Wednesdays of each month at the Nurses' Home, commencing on April 1. All old members and any new friends will be cordially welcomed.

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VANCOUVER ISLAND NEWS

ALBERNI PIONEER TO ATTEND REUNION

Association of the Famous Huff Family Has Been Formed

Early Settlers of Ontario Paved Way For Province's Progress

To gather together all the descendants of Paul and Soloman Huff, the pioneer United Empire Loyalists who came together at the close of the American War of Independence, the Huff Family Association of America has invited Capt. G. A. Huff, the well-known pioneer of Alberni, to a reunion of the family next year. Capt. Huff, who went to Alberni in 1885 and in 1895 was a member of the Provincial Legislature for Cowichan-Alberni, has been invited to attend a reunion to take place at Adolphustown, near Picton, Prince Edward County, in August of next year. He is a great grandson of Soloman Huff and will probably attend the party.

Extensive preparations are being made for the reunion. It is to be an international affair, and the secretary of the association has received letters from nearly every state of the Union were the descendants of Huff's have established themselves.

Paul and Soloman Huff were the pioneer settlers of Ontario. They had to struggle against cold and starvation in then new land. They traded with the Indians, laying the foundation for commerce, and towns and villages sprang up on the land which they first settled.

In spite of their strenuous life these men found time to establish the principle of Christianity. Paul Huff gave the land where the first Methodist Church was built. He and his kinfolk contributed money and labor to the carrying on of this spendid work.

MAYNE ISLAND

Mrs. Burham and sons, of Prince George, have returned to Victoria after a few days spent with the Rev. and Mrs. Porter.

Mrs. Hall spent a few days with Mrs. Stewart on Galiano Island. Mrs. Emery and her daughter are visiting here from Vancouver.

SAYWARD SELECTED FOR FOX FARMING

District Suitable For Rapidly Growing Vancouver Island Industry

Special to The Times

Sayward, March 30.—J. Peters of New Westminster has purchased the old Peterson place at the mouth of the Salmon River, which in the early days was known as "Port Kusan." He intends to establish a blue fox farm on the property. Mr. Peters has a considerable number of breeding foxes to stock the farm just as soon as he can complete the necessary preparations to receive them. Mr. Peters expresess himself as being well satisfied with the location, and thinks that the climatic conditions are conducive to success in this rapidly developing industry. It is reported that at an early date several other persons will visit this district with a view of obtaining places to start in the fox farming business.

Sayward News

Special to The Times

Sayward, March 30.—The regular meeting of the Sayward Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. J. Long on Friday. The chair was occupied by the president, Mrs. J. Long. Considerable correspondence was read by the secretary, Mrs. J. E. Armishaw, which included a letter from Dr. Young, Provincial Health Officer, together with a report of the health work done in the province during the year 1924. A resolution was read from the Victoria Women's Institute re the appointment of the Vancouver Island directors of the Society to Aid Crippled Children in British Columbia. The report of the work done for the benefit of crippled children in the Province showed that good results were being obtained in this important work through the labors of the women of British Columbia. The meeting took up the question of attending to the work of the district nurse, Mrs. J. Walls, during the nurse's absence while away taking a course on nursing under the auspices of the Provincial Department of Health in Vancouver. Mrs. A. Brown was asked to keep in touch with the work during the absence of the nurse. The committees for the year were appointed as follows:

Health and Child's Welfare, Mrs. J. Walls; Home Economics, Mrs. J. Long; Emigration, Mrs. A. Brown; Legislation, Mrs. J. E. Armishaw; Agriculture, Mrs. O. Skogan.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by Mrs. J. Long.

SAYWARD MAN LOSES FATHER AND MOTHER WITHIN FEW DAYS

Special to The Times

Sayward, March 30.—W. A. Milne, one of Sayward's most respected residents received the sad news of the death of his father and mother at their home in London, Ontario. Mr. Milne's parents passed away within a few days of each other and were both buried together on March 23rd, the father being eighty-five years of age and mother eighty-one years. The late Mr. and Mrs. Milne were well known in many parts of the world and leave to mourn their loss a very large circle of friends and relations. Two daughters who reside in London, one in New York City and Mrs. Wm. Shiels of Vancouver, B.C. There are three sons living: Prof. J. G. Milne of Northern Alberta, Dr. J. D. Milne of Calgary and W. A. Milne of Sayward, Vancouver Island. Mr. Harold Milne of Rock Bay, B.C., is a grandson. The residents of Sayward extend to Mr. W. A. Milne and members of his family their deepest sympathy in their great loss.

Mr. J. E. Armishaw has returned from an extended business trip to Victoria and Vancouver. When away Mr. Armishaw took up several important questions pertaining to the development and welfare of the district.

PORT RENFREW PIONEER BURIED SATURDAY

Port Renfrew, March 30.—Port Renfrew has sustained a great loss in the death of T. M. Baird, one of the oldest pioneers of the district. The heartfelt sympathy of the district goes out to Mrs. Baird and family in their sad bereavement.

Mr. Baird was customs officer and his circle of friends was a large one. Being of a kindly genial spirit his house was always open, his friendly handshake bidding everyone a hearty welcome, especially strangers, whilst waiting for boat to take them to Victoria or elsewhere. Mr. Baird has been a resident of the district for thirty years and occupied a prominent position in the place. He was the principal advocate for the establishing a school and maintaining it, and was a trustee up to his death. He was always enthusiastic as to the future of Port Renfrew, helping in every way to advance its interests.

He leaves besides his widow, six sons and one daughter, one brother and one sister, Mrs. Black, in Victoria.

The funeral took place Saturday afternoon from St. Andrew's Church, Victoria, Dr. Clay officiating. The large number of friends attending was evidence of the esteem in which he was held locally as well as in his home district.

Sidney News

Special to The Times

Sidney, March 30.—A very jolly dance was givep in Matthew's Hall on Friday night by some of the boys of Sidney. The Sidney orchestra supplied the music. Supper was in charge of Misses Dorothy and Olive Gilman and Miss Mamie Lidgate.

DUNCAN TRADE BOARD HOLDS BUSY SESSION

Many Matters Discussed at Regular Monthly Meeting

Special to The Times

Duncan, March 30.—The regular meeting of the council of the Duncan Board of Trade was held Thursday evening, the president, Dr. D. E. Kerr, in the chair. Others present were K. F. Duncan, W. M. Fleming, S. R. Kirkham, W. McCuish, J. T. Mutter, A. H. Peterson, O. T. Smythe, W. C. Tanner, L. T. Brockway and J. Morford.

O. T. Smythe, chairman of the publicity committee, reported that the album of views, desired by W. A. McAdam, for use at British Columbia House, England, was in course of preparation and would be ready in a few days. He mentioned that Mr. Fleming had rendered him considerable assistance in securing views, and the thanks of the meeting were accordingly tendered to Mr. Fleming.

A letter from the Victoria Chamber of Commerce on the subject of the application of the gasoline tax was ordered to be laid on the table.

HOSPITAL WORK

At the request of the president, members undertook to cooperate with the Hospital Board and do their best to make Hospital Week, April 4 to 8, a success. Lists of articles useful for the hospital, which it was suggested should be exhibited in the store windows, were handed round to the members.

W. T. McCuish, chairman of the camp site committee, reported that the ground used for this purpose during the last two seasons was again available, but that several alterations and additions were necessary. It was resolved that the committee prepare a working scheme, advising what is needed and how it can be financed, and report at an early date.

On the proposition of the vice-president, W. C. Tanner, the secretary was instructed to write to the Minister of Labor requesting that a labor bureau be established in Duncan, in view of the convenience it would be to employers of labor and to the large number of men employed in the neighborhood.

W. C. Tanner was desired to meet Brig.-General Gartside-Spaight, president of the Agricultural Association, and representatives of other bodies with whom Mr. Fleming has acted, and arrange for a complimentary farewell dinner to Mr. Fleming before he leaves for Summerland.

The secretary was instructed to write to the Minister of Lands urging, that in view of the work started in the district by Mr. Fleming, it was vitally important, in the interests of the district, that a competent successor be appointed to fill the position which will be vacated by Mr. Fleming when he leaves next month to take up his new duties at Summerland.

ROAD WORK

A discussion took place on the subject of the construction of a road, direct from Koksilah, across the Indian Reserve and parallel to the railway track, into Duncan, and many recommendations in support of such a project were mentioned. A committee consisting of Dr. Kerr, Mayor Mutter and W. C. Tanner was appointed to get necessary information and report.

W. M. Fleming reported that the representatives of the various societies who had met to consider the holding of a "Flower Day," had come to the conclusion that there was not sufficient interest taken in the matter at present, and postponed action until next year. The Horticultural Society were, however, loath to abandon the idea altogether, and intend to give it further consideration.

It was resolved that in future periodical luncheons be held and Messrs. Fleming, McCuish and Brockway were appointed a committee to arrange details regarding this.

DUNCAN SOCIAL CLUB STAGES JOLLY PARTY

Special to The Times

Duncan, March 30.—One of the most successful entertainments yet given in the Community Hall, Gibbons Road, was that on Friday evening arranged by the Badminton committee of the Vimy Social Club, to obtain money for sport equipment, and about $100 was raised for this worthy object. Mrs. T. C. Robinson was the convener, W. S. Robinson had charge of auctions and raffles, Harry Clark and Tom Paull, the door; Tom Horsfall, master of ceremonies, and Miss B. Jordan, supper, assisted by lady members of the club.

Mr. Rain had made and donated a beautiful card table, which was raffled and won by Mr. Graham, C. F. Davie, M.P., picking out the winning number. The four-pound box of candy, the prize at the Russian auction, directed by Tom Paull, was obtained by A. W. Hood.

Mrs. King kindly sang two solos, which were much appreciated, Miss M. Gibbons gave a graceful Grecian dance, and the Duncan minstrels gave some selections and jokes in excellent form.

Music for the dancing was most graciously provided by Mrs. King, Miss M. Payne, Miss M. Gibbons, H. Robinson and G. Schofield.

Mayflowers, in full bloom, were picked in Duncan on Saturday.

NEW SAYWARD WHARF UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Special to The Times

Sayward, March 30. — The new wharf is now under construction. The work is being done by the Vancouver Pile Driving Company, and excellent progress is being made. The new dock will be a great asset to the district. It will be considerably larger than the old one, and will be equipped with a moveable loading slip. The structure will extend farther out into deep water, which will make it possible for the larger steamers to dock with safety. A large float is also to be built to accommodate the large number of launches which are now calling at this rapidly growing district and freight distributing centre. This new dock will be much appreciated by the residents of Sayward and surrounding districts.

NO INCREASE IN DRUNKENNESS SEEN

Results of One Week's Sale of Beer by Glass in Vancouver Summarized

Vancouver, March 30.—Opening of the beer parlors here has failed to show an increase in drunkenness, according to police figures, arrests showing a slight falling off. The week prior to the opening of the beer emporiums twenty-one persons faced the magistrate on charges of being intoxicated, while during the week ended Saturday last, the first week of open beer selling, nineteen offenders appeared in court.

Police say that since the opening of the parlors there have been fewer calls to places where fights had started in the vicinity of "blind pigs," and during the past week there was trouble reported in but one drinking place where beer was legally dispensed, and this had been settled before the police arrived. No arrests were made in the beer parlors on drunkenness charges.

BOOTLEG PRICES

A feature of the legalized sale of beer, dry squad officers say, is that "bootleggers" selling whiskey have been forced to drop their prices, and operatives have found that establishments where illicit liquor was sold at $5 a bottle are now dispensing it at $3.50.

Arkansas Wants New Textile Mills

Little Rock, Ark., March 30.—The Arkansas Legislature wants textile mills in the State and would exempt them from taxation for seven years. The question will be voted upon in the form of a constitutional amendment at the next State election.

Twice before the Legislature has attempted to induce mills to come to the State by cutting out taxes over a period of years. Each time the effort has failed, due to constitutional provisions regarding the adoption of constitutional amendments.

Edmonton, March 30.—A fifteen-year-old colored lad, a ward of the Neglected Children's Department, living on a farm in the Junkins district, who stole a rifle, shotgun and revolver and to efface evidence of the crime burned down the home he had entered, was sentenced to not more than two years in the reformatory upon arraignment in juvenile court here

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FOREIGN LANGUAGE STUDY INQUIRY IN UNITED STATES

New York, March 30.—The initial step in a three years' nation-wide study, aiming to make the teaching of foreign languages more effective in the United States, has been taken by a special investigating committee of the American Council of Education.

Questionnaires mailed to 20,000 secondary schools, asking for statistics on the study of French, German, Italian and Spanish will be followed by an investigation in more than 700 colleges and normal institutions in an effort to learn how far the average American needs foreign languages as a help toward understanding the English language, and whether modern language pupils use English more correctly than others.

An interesting feature of the study will be the use of delicate instruments to measure the movement of the eyes in reading foreign texts. Mechanical devices also will be tested as aids in the study of French, German and Spanish.

The committee will attempt to find out how many boys and girls use foreign languages after graduation, as well as the chief difficulties they encounter in learning these languages. Old and new methods of teaching also will be tried out.

NEW HOME IS FOUND FOR FAMOUS CLOCK

Albany, March 30.—The tower clock which was awarded first prize at the Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia in 1876 has found a permanent home in the new campanile being erected on the campus of the State Teachers' College at Cedar Falls, Iowa.

The colck, built by the late Charles Fasoldt of this city, has been in the possession of the Fasoldt family until the present time. A few weeks ago Dudley Fasoldt, grandson of the builder and owner of the timepiece, announced he would give it to the institution offering the best home and care for it. More than 1,000 applications were received within a week after Mr. Fasoldt's offer had been published. They came from churches, colleges, municipalities and commercial organizations.

Officials of the State Teachers' College at Cedar Falls have guaranteed that the clock will have the best of care by the institution's own mechanics and electricians. The campanile in which it is to be installed is located on high ground and the dial will be visible for miles. The clock, in its half century of existence, has shown a maximum variation of less than ten seconds a year from solar time.

SUGGEST BIRTHRATE COMMISSION PLAN

New York, March 30.—A resolution recommending that birth control be given a place in the programmes of the American Medical Association and the county state societies was passed Sunday at a meeting of 1,000 physicians from which all laymen were barred and which was held in connection with the sixth international Neo-Malthusian and Birth Control Conference here.

Following the meeting, a telegram was sent to President Coolidge by Mrs. Margaret Sanger, president of the American Birth Control League, urging him to take steps toward the formation of a Federal birth rate commission.

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THE GERMAN ELECTION

YESTERDAY'S PRESIdential election in Germany was abortive because neither of the seven candidates obtained the requisite majority required by the Constitution. Another election will be held on April 26 and the candidate receiving the largest number of votes on that occasion will be the next President of the Republic and the successor of the late Herr Ebert.

The result of yesterday's "primary"—for it was little else—furnished no surprises. It was a foregone conclusion that Dr. Carl Jarres would head the poll on this first ballot. Whether he, as the representative of the Right, will be as successful on the second occasion is quite another matter. His initial success is only important to the outside world for the time being because it proves fairly conclusively that the general attitude of the people as a whole has undergone scarcely any change since the Reichstag elections last December. It does not follow that the size of the vote which Dr. Jarres polled is any indication that the Right, as the major political entity, is either in the position to or desirous of challenging the fundamentals of the Weimar Constitution in their relation to the monarchy. On the contrary, the recent peaceful gesture which the Berlin Government made to the Allies lends weight to the growing idea that the republic for which the late Herr Ebert did so much will not return to the old form of government.

Dr. Jarres's success, however, is of prime importance to the moderate elements of the Left. The Right polled 10,387,323 votes as against a combined vote of 11,669,354 by the Socialists and Centrists. This means that if the two leading parties opposed to the Nationalists in a number of important political matters can discover common ground upon which to support one nominee for the April contest, it is highly probable that a Socialist will continue to occupy the President's chair for another term. Under such an arrangement a considerable amount of support would undoubtedly go from the Democratic Party to a coalition nominee, for it will be patent to the Left that it can set off the stalemate in the Reichstag by assuring success for itself in the office of chief executive. All these parties of the Left are solidly republican and agree that Germany should pay her debts. Their joint action would even offset the votes of the Bavarian People's Party if they should go to Jarres.

It will be noted with satisfaction in every capital, except that of Russia, that the Communist showing at yesterday's elections was an exceedingly poor one. Nor will General Ludendorff be able to obtain much satisfaction from the fact that he led his Fascist Party to the bottom of the poll. The impotence of these two extremities in modern political life becomes apparent when their principles are put to the test of democratic decision.

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FARES TOO HIGH

THIS IS AN OPEN CONfession from a passenger line authority in respect of the attitude of the North Atlantic Shipping Conference to the King Government's subsidy proposals:

> It has to be remembered that our lines are not only faced with increased operating costs, but also with the fact that the traffic movement across the western ocean is now considerably curtailed compared with what it was in pre-war days. Before the war we had roughly 1,000,000 westbound passengers in a season. Now, with the United States restrictions, we have not one-third of that volume.

Traffic between Great Britain and Canada is now "considerably curtailed." Of course it is. The passenger fares are far too expensive for thousands of prospective migrants. A second-class passage on a medium-sized liner before the war could be bought for about fifty dollars. The same accommodation now costs about three times as much. Operation costs more now than it did then; but nothing like as much more as the increased fare suggests.

The high passenger rate at the present time is a serious matter for Canada. This country needs every new citizen it can get from Great Britain and other parts of Europe for the reason that without a very substantial increase in population in the early future it will be difficult to reduce our taxation. But as long as the fares from the other side of the Atlantic are so high, the tide of immigration will be much slower than it ought to be.

The King Government intends to secure the services of a shipping line which will carry freight and passengers at fair rates. It does not propose to allow the Conference to charge its errors of judgment to the trade and commerce of this country. It regards the problem of half-full ships as the organization's own affair and not a condition to be paid for by the Atlantic passenger or the manufactured product from this Dominion.

If the passenger line authority whom we have quoted wants to find a solution for some of the troubles of the Conference, he will find it in reduced rates.

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WOMEN'S WORK

THERE SHOULD BE NO doubt about the success of a Home Products Exhibition in Victoria. It ought to be thoroughly assured in advance. But it might not be out of place to suggest that the fullest possible co-operation of the women of this neighborhood be enlisted for the event.

In Winnipeg the Women's Institute is engaged upon a similar affair at the present time. It has undertaken to assemble under one large roof a collection of all the goods which are produced in the Prairie capital. In Victoria's case the preliminary arrangements are already under way and are in capable hands; but it is to be hoped that feminine assistance will be solicited if it should be necessary to insure greater success.

There is no doubt that if stock were to be taken of the great voluntary contributions which the women make towards the progress of this or any other community, assistance which never counts the cost or expects reward, the mere man would probably feel like creeping into a hole and drawing the hole in after him.

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

MR. MEIGHEN AND HIS supporters in the House of Commons are for ever telling the people of the country that Canada is surely sliding towards the abyss—that national progress is being halted by the policies of the King Government and that disaster is not far off. Were they to be honest with themselves, they would find how baseless are their fears; but that would be putting interest of country before interest of party; and that would never do. The statistical department of the nation, however, is not interested in partisan quarrels or political manoeuvre. It works among cold figures and presents its findings with a "there-you-are" sort of an attitude—"take the facts or leave them." One of its comparisons is worth studying by anybody who has been inclined to imagine that the twentieth century does not belong to Canada. It shows, for instance, that the agricultural production of the country in 1900-01 was valued at $364,906,866 and in 1924-25, $1,342,132,000; that trade with the United States in 1900-01 was valued at $135,677,859 and in 1924-25, $1,031,963,991; that trade with the United Kingdom in 1900-01 was valued at 175,361,579 and in 1924-25, $513,644,472; that manufacturing production in 1900-01 was valued at $481,069,846 and in 1924-25, $2,439,843,766; that life insurance carried by Canadians in 1900-01 was valued at $431,069,846 and in 1924-25, $3,433,508,673. None but those who are blinded by political bias will suggest that there is no point in the long view of this country's progress. It is a quarter of a century of achievement worth studying; but it is safe to say that the figures in 1950 will make these look like small change.

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CRITICS OF THE SHIPping subsidy proposals tell us that the Government can not dictate to shippers by what lines they shall ship. Few will contest the truth of this statement. But the shipper usually looks for the line which will take his goods to market at the cheapest rate. If the vessels of the North Atlantic Shipping Conference require twelve dollars per ton of forty cubic feet and the vessels of the Petersen line, under the subsidy plan, will carry the same stuff for eight dollars a ton of forty cubic feet, it seems fairly safe to suggest that the exporter will prefer to avail himself of the cheaper scale. It is none the less true that no Government can compel him to save the four dollars a ton if he insists upon giving his business to the combine. But it is no compliment to the intelligence of the manufacturers of this Dominion, who have spent a good deal of money in the Canadian Pavilion at Wembley to convince the people of the world that they have goods of prime value for sale, to infer that they have no interest in a proposal which will enable them to extend their export market.

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DR. FRANK CRANE —ON— THE GROWING UNITY

A REPORT has it that German music hall artists are to appear again in French places of entertainment.

No more significant piece of news could be announced.

It is true that they have already performed in French music halls, but they had to disguise themselves as Poles, Czecho-slovaks, as Swiss, as anything but Germans.

The French would have none of them. The French artists expressed their indignation at regular intervals, in public and semi-public meetings, and swore that never again should a German attraction be seen in Paris.

And now they have suddenly quit. They are declaring that they are disinterested and that they have no objection to the reappearance of German entertainment.

Hatred and grudges die out. They cannot live forever, and possibly this is a better indication of their disappearance than the study of protocols and treaties would reveal. The statesman and his deeds amount to much, but what the people and the caterers to the people's amusement do in such a matter amounts to still more.

Even when the Olympic Games were held in Paris a short time ago there were no German competitors. At that time German athletes and German music hall entertainers were not welcome in the French capital.

Now we learn that Germans are to sit upon the committee to make arrangements for the Olympic Games of 1928. The German cyclists are to race in Paris and German football players are to compete with Frenchmen.

We are to hope that if, in the realm of sports and amusement, there is a renewal of friendship, it will not be long before there is a renewal in the political atmosphere.

Protection cannot be practiced in amusement. There must be free trade. The art of entertainment has no boundaries.

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WORDS OF WISE MEN

A good book is the best of friends, the same to-day and everyday.
—Tupper.

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The sun, reflecting upon the mud of strands and shores, is unpolluted in his beam. —Taylor.

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The nature of everything is best seen in its smallest portions.
—Aristotle.

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Virtue, if she could be seen, would move great love and affection.
—Plato.

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It is heaven upon earth to have a man's mind move in charity, rest in providence, and turn upon the poles of truth. —Bacon.

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It is always safe to learn, even from our enemies, seldom safe to venture to instruct, even our friends. —Colton.

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To things immortal, time can do no wrong,
And that which never is to dim for ever must be young.
—Cowley.

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They can conquer who believe they can. —Dryden.

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Better to go on foot than ride and fall. —Middleton.

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Opinion in good men is but knowledge in the making.—Milton.

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You may break, you may shatter the vase if you will,
But the scent of the roses will hang round it still. —Moore.

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The friends thou hast, and their adoption tried,
Grapple them to thy soul with hoops of steel.—Shakespeare.

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WHO'S WHO IN HISTORY TO-DAY

MONDAY, MARCH 30

PHOCION

Noted Athenian statesman and general, was put to death on a date corresponding to March 30, 317 B.C. As the leader of the aristocratic party, he advocated a policy of peace with Macedon in opposition to Demosthenes, and was condemned to death by the democratic party on a false charge of treason.

JOHN CONSTABLE

Celebrated English painter, noted for his landscapes, died at London on March 30, 1837. He was distinctly English, being uninfluenced by foreign masters, and his inspiration and material came from rustic life.

JOHN FISKE

(Originally Edmund Fiske Green), American historical and philosophical writer, was born on March 30, 1842. Among his best known works are "The Discovery of America" and "The Idea of God."

PAUL VERLAINE

French poet, one of the leaders of the "Symbolists" and the "Decadents," was born on March 30, 1844. He followed the example of Francois Villon in using his misfortunes in hospital and prison as subjects for his poems.

HEALTH AND DISEASE — No. 47 — CHAPPED HANDS

Cracking of the skin of the fingers and hands is most commonly seen in Winter in northern latitudes, especially in fair persons with dry skins. A dry roughness develops on the backs of the hands and knuckles, called "chapping," which may result in transverse fissuring, most marked where the movement of the skin is greatest. Persons whose occupation keep their hands in water a great deal are particularly exposed to this. If the water contains soap, antiseptics or other chemicals there is still greater danger. Water alone, and such chemicals still more, extract moisture and natural oil from the skin. If skin so damaged is then exposed to the further drying and contracting action of cold air and wind, chapping and cracking are probable.

To prevent this the hands must always be dried carefully, and if there is any roughness of the skin indicating loss of natural oil and moisture this deficiency must be made up by rubbing in olive oil, cold cream or vaseline. Rubber gloves may be worn as a protection while working, provided they are well powdered inside, are worn for short periods of time only, and are turned inside out to dry thoroughly in the intervals. Greasing of the parts before retiring and covering with washable cotton gloves may be advisable. Small cracks about the finger-nails may be checked and healed by covering with flexible collodion. Deep and painful cracks, should they develop, require more vigorous measures.

Cracking may develop at any time on any parts of the hands in the course of a chronic eczema, or due to parasitic infection, such as scabies. The treatment of these consists chiefly in relieving the original cause.

—AESCULAPIUS

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, March 30.—5 a.m.—The barometer remains stationary over this Province and fine, colder weather has been general. Snow is reported in Alberta.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 38; wind, 4 miles N.W.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.76; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 36; wind, 4 miles N.W.; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.72; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 28; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.72; temperature, maximum yesterday, 30; minimum, 22; wind, calm; snow, 1.4; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 36; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Estevan—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 30; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.76; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 40; wind, 16 miles S.E.; weather, clear.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles W.; rain, .06; weather, cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, fair.

Calgary—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 34; minimum, 28; snow, .4.

Temperature

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	46	38
Vancouver	46	36
Penticton	47	..
Grand Forks	49	..
Edmonton	28	14
Qu'Appelle	50	36
Regina	48	37
Winnipeg	54	..
Toronto	38	..
Ottawa	58	..
Montreal	46	..
St. John	48	..
Halifax	44	..

Pittsburg Looks Like Winners in Western Circuit

Duluth, Minn., March 30. — With two defeats against them, members of the Eveleth team of the United States Amateur Hockey League, came here to-day for their final game against the Pittsburg Yellow Jackets in the series for the league's Western group championship. The two games of the final series are scheduled for Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

The contests were transferred to this city because of poor ice at Eveleth.

Pittsburg needs only one more game to cinch the title, but it was announced that the fourth game will be played regardless of the outcome of the third.

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FRANCE IS ASKING INFORMATION ON SECURITY SCHEME

Government Prepares Reply to Memorandum to be Sent to Berlin

Insists on Unconditional Entry of Germany Into League of Nations

Paris, March 30.—The German Security Pact offer was the object of a conference to-day by the Cabinet, which is understood to have fixed the main lines of the French reply to the security memorandum.

The features of the reply, it is forecast, will be questions intended to bring out a clear definition of what the German Government is ready to offer and the setting forth of certain conditions which the French Government regards as indispensable, the chief of which is the unconditional entrance of Germany into the League of Nations.

The principal questions on which Premier Herriot will ask light are the attitude of Germany toward the frontiers of the allies of France, Paland and Czecho-Slovakia, and whether acceptance of the German offer would mean no subsequent efforts by the German Government to evade the Versailles Treaty.

INSUFFICIENT GUARANTEE

The not will set forth in substance that the formal renunciation of Alsace-Lorraine by Germany would be an insufficient guarantee of security.

French officials suspect that Germany, by offering this renunciation, had hopes of buying off France and obtaining a free hand to deal with Germany's eastern and southern neighbors.

The French reply will make it clear France considers herself bound to see that the frontiers of Poland and Czecho-Slovakia, as well as her own, are made safe.

Cross Country Run In Dublin Won by English Harrier

Dublin, March 30 (By Canadian Press Cable)—The part international cross-country race of ten miles was run here on Saturday, England being first, Ireland second and Wales third.

J. Weber, of the Birchfield Harriers, England, was the first man home, in 56 minutes 54 seconds; T. Ryan, Tipperary, second, 57 minutes 14 seconds, and Cotterell, Wales, third, in 57 minutes 38 seconds. Scotland was placed fourth and Belgium fifth.

SIX DAYS LEFT

New applicants for inclusion on the Provincial Voters' List have only six days left in which to attain their object. Reregistration of voters who failed to vote in the June elections will continue until May 18, but the filing of new names on the list will close on April 6. George H. Mabon, the registrar, keeps open office daily at the Court House, Bastion Street, where applications can be filed. Throughout the city other appointed commissioners have a like power. Registration costs the applicant nothing, and the time is shortening in which to apply. Many thousands of voters struck off for failure to vote will be left off the next list unless the rate of reinstatement is speeded up materially, said Registrar Mabon.

Chicago Cubs Are Getting Into Bad Trouble In South

Maranville Breaks Ankle and Grigsby His Collar-bone; Roush's Freak Homer

New York, March 30.—Long range artillery in the Yankees' line-up that has been conspicuous in major league diamond games, was witnessed on Saturday in Savannah by minor league pitching in a game with the Rochester Internationals and it fell to the lot of the newly installed regular, Earl Coombs, to save the former American League champions from defeat. His home run in the ninth, with one on, tied the score at four-four, after his double in the third had figured in the only previous scoring of the New York club. The game went two extra innings, whereupon officials called it a day. Babe Ruth, by failing while pursuing a drive, let in two runs.

The Giants won their second straight from the Toledo American Association nine, 7 to 2, in mud and rain. Pitchers Ryan and Huntsinger limited batters to four hits.

The Detroit Tigers and Toronto Maple Leafs met at Winston Salem yesterday for the last game of their barnstorming series.

The Pittsburg Pirates won the eighth game of their ten-game series from San Francisco on Saturday by 8 to 4. Babe Adams and Griffin did some nice pitching for the Pirates.

A freak home run by Capt. Eddie Rousch featured the 10 to 4 victory of Cincinnati over Reading of the International League at Leesburg, yesterday. It was a terrible drive to right field, where the ball hit an unlocked gate and forced it open. As the ball fell outside the playing field it became a homer.

Calamity which struck the Chicago Cubs two weeks ago when Rabbit Maranville broke his ankle, was in evidence again Saturday. Denver Grigsby, intended as a regular centrefielder, broke his collarbone. He will not be able to play until the middle of May.

After yesterday's workout, the St. Louis Browns broke camp, starting northward to-day.

Dudley Lee was reinstated as shortstop for the Boston Red Sox at New Orleans Saturday. Back in his regular position after being out of favor for reporting late at the training camp, Lee gave a fine exhibition.

Boxing Favorites to Attempt Comebacks

New York, March 30.—Two New York boxing favorites will attempt comebacks in Gotham rings this week. Abe Goldstein, former bantamweight champion, on Wednesday will open a campaign which he hopes will lead to a title fight with Charley Rosenberg, by squaring off against Eddie Flank, former amateur king, while Vincent Pepper Martin to-morrow night will return to the ring to face Joe Celmars.

DUNDEE'S CASE

New York, March 30.—The New York State Athletic Commission tomorrow will decided whether Johnny Dundee, former featherweight champion, is entitled to restoration to good standing.

Dundee was suspended indefinitely after his withdrawal from a match in France with Fred Bretonnell. The French Boxing Federation, according to Chairman Farley, had failed to furnish a letter of details promised in the cabled protest.

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Leicester Wins County Rugby Championship

Bristol, Eng., March 30 (Canadian Press Cable)—Leicester won the county rugby championship here on Saturday when they defeated Gloucester 14-6.

Fifteen thousand persons assembled in cold weather to see the match, the title having been held by Cumberland. The game was exciting throughout and it was not until the second half that Leicester clinched their victory. The first score of the game was brought by Day, Leicester's centre three-quarters, who sent the ball over the crossbar for a nice penalty goal, while Beamish put Leicester further ahead two minutes later by scrambling over for an unconverted try.

PICKLES SCORES

Gloucester attacked from a scrum and initiated a passing movement which ended in Pickles dashing over for their first score, the kick at goal failing, and at half-time the score stood 6-3 in favor of Leicester.

Gloucester had rather the better of matters for a while at the beginning of the second half and brought the score even. With the game six points all, both teams settled down to break the deadlock and some exciting play was seen. The closing was replete with brilliant play, in which Gloucester exerted every pound to stave off defeat. But Leicester fought on grimly and put up a magnificent display by adding more points from a try by Holden, their scrum half. No further scoring occurred and the game ended Leicester one goal, one penalty goal, two tries, 14 points; Gloucester two tries, 6 points.

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Mince Steak, per lb.	11¢
Oxford Sausage, per lb.	11¢
Blade Bone Roasts, per lb.	11¢
Pork Steaks, per lb.	22¢
Loin Pork Chops, per lb.	33¢
Rib Mutton Chops, per lb.	30¢
Crushed Bone, 5 lbs. for	10¢
Round Steak, per lb., 19¢ and	17¢
Sirloin Steak, per lb.	26¢

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Pacific Milk, small, per tin	5¢
Magic Baking Powder, per tin	25¢

MARRIED—With only a few of their most intimate friends in attendance, the wedding was quietly solemnized in Toronto of Mrs. Virginia Copping of Nebraska, and Sir Edward Kemp at St. Paul's Anglican Church, Bloor Street. Following the ceremony, Sir Edward and his bride left for New York, en route to Great Britain and France, where they will spend several months. Upon their return they will occupy Castle Frank, Sir Edward's residence on Castle Frank Road.

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Radium Lace Novelty Handkerchiefs of very attractive and snappy appearance. Shown in flame, sky, jade, peach, apple green and China blue. Each ..... **25¢**

Crepe de Chine of all silk quality with hemstitched border, in all the newest and popular colors. Each.... **20¢**

Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs with tatting edge in contrasting shade; something quite new and very attractive. Shown in grey, fawn, nut brown, red, canary, Nile, orchid and purple. Each ..... **30¢**

Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs in plain colors with self check designs and embroidered corners, a beautiful range to select from. Each ..... **25¢**

Gingham Design Handkerchiefs, some have allover checks designs, others are white with fancy gingham stripe borders, a fine quality in good washing; fast colors. Unusual values at, **2** for ..... **25¢**

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—Main Floor

In Our Hardware Section

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Johnson's Valve Grinding Compound—fine or course, at a great saving for the motorist or mechanic; regular 50c a 4-oz. packet.
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—Lower Main Floor

New Stylish Stout DRESSES

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A limited number of frocks of Canton knit in navy or black and poiret twill or serge, in dark shades, made in coat styles with long sleeves and collared necks. Suitable for street or afternoon wear; button or braid trimmed; sizes 40 to 46. Priced from

$14.90 to $25.00

A collection of very smart Outsize Dresses of Canton, crepe de Chine, georgette and poiret twill. The shades include jade, navy, brown, black, etc. Smartly trimmed with embroidery and beads or picot edged pleatings. The sleeves vary in length, necks are collared, shown with pockets and neatly girdled waistline or beltless; sizes 40 to 48. Priced from

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Models to slenderize the more generously proportioned forms, fashioned of georgette, Canton, flat and crepe de Chine, made on graceful long lines with panel or drape effects; sleeves are short, three-quarter or full length, the necks finished with a piping, trimmed with smart touches of embroidery and beads; sizes 40 to 48. Priced from

$39.75 to $45.00

—Mantles, First Floor

Children's Flannelette Wear Excellent Values

White Flannelette Gowns, trimmed with colored stitching on yoke, "V" or high necks and long sleeves; sizes for 6 to 10 years. Each **$1.25**
Sizes for 12 to 14 years. Each **$1.50**

Striped Flannelette Gowns, in pink, blue and grey stripes on white, made with turndown collar and one breast pocket, suitable for either boys or girls; fine soft quality material; sizes for 2, 4 and 6 years. Each .. **$1.25**
Sizes for 8 to 14 years. Each **$1.50**

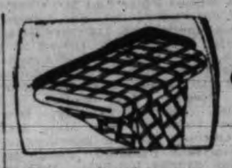
Princess Slips of white flannelette trimmed with Torchon lace around neck and flounce; sizes for 8 to 14 years. Each **$1.25**

White Flannelette Sleepers, with turndown collars and cuffs, trimmed with colored stitching; sizes for 2, 4 and 6 years. A pair **$1.00**

Two-piece Pyjamas of white flannelette in coat style, trimmed with edging on dainty narrow lace; sizes for 8 to 16 years. A pair, **$1.85**

—Children's Wear, First Floor

GINGHAMS



Great Selection of New Designs and Colorings for Spring and Summer

27-inch Ginghams, a special quality, patterned in a wide range of new checks, plaids and plain shades; dependable grade and ideal for children's frocks and women's house dresses. Special value, a yard ..... **25¢**

32-inch Ginghams, the Favorite, a great value, and is bought in large quantities. This grade becomes more popular every year. Its wearing qualities are wonderful. Shown in a great choice of plaids, checks, stripes and plain shades. A yard ..... **39¢**

36-inch Fine Plain Ginghams, a fine grade and specially soft finish; ideal for house dresses and children's frocks. Excellent shades of blue, grey, pink, sky, sand, mauve, reseda, rose, tan. A special bargain at, a yard .... **35¢**

32-inch Ratine Check, Fine Ginghams, a beautiful new check design with a fine ratine plaid effect woven in; shown in beautiful shades of green, lemon, orange, blue, grey, black and white. A bargain at, a yard ..... **50¢**

32-inch Silk Lustre Ginghams, a rich, silky-looking fabric that retains its brilliance after being washed. All colors guaranteed. Makes up well in dresses, and is an excellent soft texture that will give great wear. Shades are orange, jade green, lemon, blue, mauve and pink. Great value at ..... **59¢**

38-inch English Gingham, a silk finish gingham in soft colorings, new checks, plaids and plain shades, and stripes to match. Makes up well in smart dresses for sports and beach wear. A wide choice of delicate and medium and dark tones, and plain shades of flame, biscuit, reseda, Saxe, navy and hospital blue. A yard ..... **59¢**

—Wash Goods, Main Floor

A New Style of Rubber Reducing Corset $9.75

Silk-covered Rubber Reducing Corsets, clasped in front with new patent lacing adjustment, very low bust and long over hips, ventilated back, four hose supporters. An exceptionally good fitting model for full figures. Priced at, a pair **$9.75**

—Corsets, First Floor

Coats for Tiny Tots

Smart little coats of beautiful quality materials, in shades of blue and fawn trimmed with fancy buttons and pockets. Excellent values, priced from

$3.95 to $5.95

—Children's Wear, First Floor

SILKS

Four Good Values Tuesday

29-inch Spun Silk in which a small percentage of cotton adds to the wearing quality. Shown in white only and great value, a yard ..... **69¢**

36-inch Tub Silks, bright in finish and of strong texture. Shades are grey, gold, lemon, mauve, pink, white and navy. Great value, a yard **$1.59**

36-inch Fancy Crepes, novelty silks in various designs and colorings, suitable for ensemble suits, etc. Great value, a yard **$1.98**

40-inch Heavy Crepe de Chine, all silk and heavy texture, very strong. Shades are pink, mauve, white, biscuit, turquoise, navy, black and grey. A yard..... **$2.98**

—Silks, Main Floor

Dress Flannels and Worsted Suitings For Spring

31-inch All Wool Flannels, very durable and will wash without shrinking. Makes useful dresses. Shades are navy, brown, Saxe, Copenhagen, jade, orange, henna, fawn, grey, pink, mauve, lavender, black, white yellow and red. On sale, a yard **$1.00**

54-inch Check Flannel, a smart looking material and very suitable for dresses. The shades are excellent and a large variety to choose from. A yard **$2.50**

54-inch Worsted Suitings, very fine material that will make up into smart suits; fawn and grey grounds. A yard **$4.50**

54-inch Navy Tricotine, all wool and thoroughly reliable, with a good dye. Big value, a yard **$3.50**

—Dress Goods, Main Floor

Women's Silk and Wool Sweaters, Cardigans or Pullovers Just Received, Each $5.95

Cardigans in smart designs and excellent grade, made from medium weight yarns; plain style with perfect fitting sleeve, turn back cuffs. The border at bottom is designed very neatly in silk and wool, diamond effect of self shade. The sweaters have five button fasteners and colors are cinder, white, sheepskin. Sizes 36, 38 and 40. Each **$5.95**

Pullover Sweaters, very Fashionable and smart, made in ribbed effect, with silk and wool turn back cuffs, convertible collar bound with silk braid and fastened at neck with two small buttons. The bottom is designed in block pattern silk and wool; shades are white, orange, cinder and sheepskin. Sizes 36, 38 and 40. Each **$5.95**

—Blouses, First Floor

Girls' Suits and Dresses

Girls' Two-piece Suits of flannel and wool crepe with smart pleated skirt, Paisley silk blouse attached, and neat coats trimmed with narrow silk braid. Sizes for 6 to 12 years, in shades of brown, navy, saxe and fawn. Priced at **$6.75** and **$7.95**

Two-piece Dresses in charming new styles, trimmed with silk braid, small steel buttons and shown in shades of red, Saxe and fawn. Sizes for 4 to 14 years. Special at **$5.75**

—Children's Wear, First Floor

A Great Selection of STAIR CARPETS

Axminster, Wilton, Brussels, Velvet and Tapestry Very Moderately Priced

Axminster Stair Carpet, 27 inches wide, British Make, Imperial Quality, and extra special value; a yard **$3.95**

Axminster Stair Carpet, 27 inches wide, Three Good Designs, and special value, a yard **$3.25**

Axminster Stair Carpet, 22½ inches wide, in very attractive designs. Best value a yard **$2.95**

Wilton Stair Carpet, 27½ inches wide, good quality, attractively neat, designs; excellent value a yard .. **$4.50**

Wilton Carpet, 27 inches wide, British Make, superior quality; special a yard **$4.95**

Wilton Stair Carpet, 36 inches wide, fine quality in beautiful designs; great value a yard **$7.95**

Velvet Pile Stair Carpet, in two tone designs, centre or blue or grey with decorative, band border, 22½ inches wide. Special a yard **$2.25**
27 inches wide. Special a yard **$2.50**

Brussels Stair Carpet, 27 inches wide, a durable quality and a choice of several, excellent designs; a yard **$2.65**

Tapestry Stair Carpet, 27 inches wide, mottled centre with band border; a yard **$1.25**

Tapestry Stair Carpet, 27 inches wide, most serviceable grade, neat designs and big value a yard **$1.65**

Hemp Stair Carpet, with plain centre and colored border, 22½ inches wide; great value a yard ..... **65¢**
27 inches wide. Great value a yard ..... **75¢**
36 inches wide. Great value a yard **$1.00**

—Carpets, Second Floor

Another Shipment of Men's Negligee and Outing Shirts Just Arrived

Men's Negligee Shirts, Our Own Brand, shown in Bedford Cords, made with double soft cuffs, centre pleat and starch neck bands, neat and fancy stripes on a cream ground; all sizes. Each, **$2.00**

The Campus Outing Shirt, made from a white soisette or mercerized finish cambric, coat shape, with attached, turndown or sport collar, one pocket and deep band buttoned cuffs; all sizes. Each **$2.00**

Broadcloth Outing Shirts, made from English fabrics in plain blue and cream shades, with turn-down or sports collar attached, deep band cuffs; shown in coat styles. Very special, at **$2.45**

English Broadcloth Shirts, made with double soft cuffs, seperate collar, starch neck bands, pleat in back and in coat shade. Special at, each, **$2.65** and **$2.95**

Broadcloth Shirts, the very best grade in Tooke and Forsyth brands; shown in plain shades, white or fancy stripes. Special, each, **$4.75** and **$4.95**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

"Invictus" Shoes for Men

New styles in this famous shoe have just been received, including the latest models in square toe Oxfords in the fashionable "light tan shade," also shown in black calf, black kid and medium tan.

Boots, a pair ..... **$9.00** Oxfords, a pair **$8.00**

Exclusive Agency

—Men's Shoes, Main Floor

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B. & K. Cracked Wheat, 10-lb. sack ..... 69¢
Hops, small pkt. ..... 8¢
large pkt. ..... 15¢
Snowflake Flour, 49-lb. sack $2.45
Fresh Beef Brisket, per lb. 12¢, 10¢ and ..... 8¢

Fresh Beef Hearts, each ..... 25¢
Lean Pot Roasts, per lb. 12¢, 10¢ and ..... 8¢
Rib Mutton Chops, cut short, lb. 35¢

Fresh Halibut, lb. 18¢, or 3 lbs. 45c

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DANCE TO ASSIST SAANICH FUND

Health Centre Nurses Are Anxious to Aid Milk Fund

To raise money for their milk fund, the nurses of the Saanich War Memorial Health Centre have arranged to hold a dance in the Lake Hill Community Hall on Wednesday evening. The nurses have gone to considerable trouble with the arrangements, and are anticipating a big crowd of patrons at this, their first appearance as public hostesses.

Pitts's three-piece orchestra will furnish the music, and the supper arrangements will be in the hands of members of the Women's Institutes. Dancing will commence at 9 o'clock.

The milk fund was started by the nurses to provide milk for undernourished children in a number of Saanich families where sickness and unemployment have drained the resources of the family and prevented the supply of sufficient nourishment to the little people. During last Winter over 700 quarts of milk was supplied to such cases, the nurses maintaining the fund with the assistance of kind friends and through their own efforts.

TO-MORROW'S HOROSCOPE

By Genevieve Kemble

TUESDAY, MARCH 31

Judging by the dominant lunar and mutual figures, this may be a day of activity, but of rather an inharmonious and irritating nature. The abrupt unlooked for and disruptive may be precipitated, both as relates to happiness and all other interests. It is urged that the tendency to impetuosity be subdued and precaution taken as to fraud or misrepresentation in money matters.

Those whose birthday it is, may have an active year, but with sudden upheavals or changes not desirable. This applies to home and business affairs. All should be managed with calmness and on guard against treachery or fraud. A child born on this day should have an active and energetic nature, but may find much opportunity for applying its resources to surmount difficulties both at home and in business.

Mr. R. H. Harrison of Summit Avenue left Monday for Prince Rupert on business

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GERMAINE SCHNITZER HERE NEXT THURSDAY

Piano Recital by Famous Pianist at Empress Hotel

Owing to the extension of the present hockey matches the piano recital to be given by the famous Mme. Germaine Schnitzer is to take place on Thursday evening next instead of Wednesday, as previously arranged. This recital, the programme of which is unusually interesting, will take place at the Empress Hotel ballroom, and the sale of tickets is now at Willis Pianos. Special blocks of seats can be obtained by all music students of the city.

The programme is as follows:

I.
(a) Thirty-two variations on Theme in "C Minor," Op. 120, No. 7 ..... (Beethoven)
(b) "Der Wanderer" (Schubert-Liszt)

II.
(a) "Pastorale Variee" ..... (Mozart)
(b) "Piece Characterisque," Op. 7, No. 1 ..... (Mendelssohn)
(c) "The Prophet Bird," Op. 82, No. 7 ..... (Schumann)
(d) "Etude" ..... (Chopin)
(e) "Berceuse," D Flat Major, Op. 57 ..... (Chopin)
(f) "Perpetuum Mobile," Op. 24 ..... (Weber)

III.
(a) "Capriccio," Op. 76 ..... (Brahms)
(b) "Venezia le Napoli," No. 1, Gondoliera ..... (Liszt)

Children Added Quaint Humor to "Quality Street"

Owing to an unfortunate omission, the names of the children who took part in "Quality Street" did not appear on the printed programmes used at that play at the High School on Friday evening. The part of Arthur, the small boy who got into trouble because of fighting for the honor of Miss Phoebe's school, was cleverly taken by Jack Rattan, and that of Isabella, whose father insisted that she "acquire algebra," by Eve Tingley. Both these young actors spoke with remarkable distinctness, and they entered so fully into the spirit of the schoolroom scene that they contributed not a little to the humor of one of the most delightful scenes in the play. They, with Helen Harris, Winnifred Ford, Dora Curtis, Dorothy Pattulo, Wanda Spencer, Nellie Macfarlane, Billie Sheldon-Williams, composed the dancing class on which the curtain rose at the opening of act two. The quaint costumes and graceful movements of the children made a most pleasing and effective scene. All of these young performers are pupils of Major Bullock-Webster of the B.C. Dramatic School, to whom, as well as to the parents of the children, the members of the Players' Club are deeply indebted for their able assistance. The part of Lieut. Spicer was in the able hands of George Stark instead of Wilfrid Heritage, who had the role of the Gallant.

The company was indebted to David Spencer Limited for the loan of the beautiful furniture of the period of the play and for other stage properties.

COUNTESS' BABY BORN IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, March 30.—A scion of a noble and ancient Italian family, mentioned in Gibbon's "Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire," entered the world yesterday when a daughter was born in the Vancouver General Hospital to the Comte and Comtesse Edmonde Colonna de Giovellina.

The Countess is an American girl, formerly Miss Jessie Inez Stowell-Goe, daughter of a Los Angeles lumberman.

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IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

CATHEDRAL SCENE OF PRETTY WEDDING

Miss "Frankie" Johnston Becomes Bride of Albert J. Sommer

Christ Church Cathedral was the scene of a quiet wedding at 8.30 o'clock on Saturday evening, when Very Rev. Dean C. S. Quainton united in marriage Anna Frances ('Frankie'), eldest daughter of Mr. G. B. Johnston, M.P.P., of Melfort, Sask., and Mrs. Johnston, of 1320 Dallas Road, Victoria, and Mr. Albert Joseph Sommer, son of the late Mr. Joseph Sommer and Mrs. Sommer of Victoria.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a model ensemble suit of massine charmene, consisting of a frock of sand crepe de Chine with bands of charmene and touches of navy embroidery, the coat trimmed with dyed squirrel, and the hat being en suite. A French bouttoniere was fastened in the collar, and her bouquet was of Ophelia roses.

Miss Helen Johnston, B.A., sister of the bride, was the only attendant, and was gowned in a frock of flowered French crepe over which she wore a pine green wrap and hat to match. Her flowers were Columbia roses. The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Frank C. Sommer.

Following the ceremony a supper was served in the private dining-room of the Empress Hotel, at which only the immediate relations of the bride and groom were present.

After a honeymoon spent on the Mainland, Mr. and Mrs. Sommer will reside at "Bon Air," Quadra Street.

MRS. NICHOL TO OPEN KING'S DAUGHTERS' TEA AT "SCHUHUM"

The annual daffodil tea of the King's Daughters will be held on Thursday at the beautiful home of Miss Agnew, "Schuhum", 1322 Rockland Avenue, on Thursday, April 2, from 3 until 6 o'clock. Mrs. Walter C. Nichol will open the affair and Mrs. L. H. Hardie, Provincial President, will be ready to welcome all friends of the order.

Conveners of the various features are as follows: Tea, Mrs. Harvey and Mrs. Stewart; candy table, Miss A. Conyers and K. Roberts; flower stall, Mrs. Abel; convener of Easter novelties, Mrs. R. R. Playfair. Miss Agnew will be in charge of the decorated table competition, and all entries should be made to her at telephone 308.

Miss Kathleen Roberts has arranged the following programme: Dance of Spring, Maureen Grute; song, Mrs. Styles Sehl; Shean Trews Highland costume, Miss Nellie McFarlane; humorous recitation, Miss E. Mustard; French minuet, Gwendolin McDonald; sword dance, Miss Nancy Ferguson; song, selected Madame Zara has kindly consented to read the tea-cups during the afternoon.

Miss E. Clearihue will have charge of the cake-guessing contest.

Daughters of England.—Princess Alexandra Lodge No. 18, Daughters and Maids of England, will hold a musical evening at the home of Sister Hatcher, the Armory, Bay Street, Wednesday evening, April 1, commencing at 8.30. A splendid programme has been prepared, and refreshments will be served.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Watson, secretary-treasurer of The Calgary Herald, is a visitor to Victoria.

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Miss Mabel Eberts, after spending the past few weeks in Portland, has returned home.

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Messrs. T. Dougal, D. Skellen and T. Davies of Chemainus were visitors in Victoria at the week-end.

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Mr. George Cameron of Stewart, who for the past month has been a visitor in Vancouver, is now spending a week in Victoria.

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Sir Frank and Lady Barnard, who have been wintering on the Riviera, expect to sail from England for home at the end of March.

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Miss Kate Gaudin, who for the past week has been visiting in Vancouver as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. McRae, is expected home early this week.

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F. F. Pease of St. Aidan's School, Oak Bay, who recently sat for his entrance for Wellington College, England, has passed his examination

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Mrs. C. P. Armstrong and Mrs. Driscoll have left for Portland, Oregon, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Harry Davis before leaving for San Francisco.

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Mr. D. Critchley, who has been spending the Winter months in Victoria as a guest at the Balmoral Hotel, left to-day for Vancouver en route to his home at Inverness, near Prince Rupert.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ashburnham and Miss Doreen Ashburnham, after spending the Winter months in California, returned to Victoria on Friday and left on Saturday for their home at Cowichan Lake.

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Miss Violet Hamilton of Nelson, who has been spending some time in Victoria, was among the guests at a dinner party given by Miss Peggy Macaulay at the Marine Drive Golf Club in Vancouver on Thursday.

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Mr. Frank Wollaston who is attending the University of Washington, is spending a few days in Victoria as the guest of his mother, Mrs. A. V. Wollaston, Hampshire Road.

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Mr. "Bud" Verrinder, who has been spending a few days with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Ford Verrinder, Oak Bay, returned yesterday to Seattle, where he is attending the University of Washington.

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Mrs. J. C. Armstrong of Merrivale Street, New Westminster, announces the engagement of her daughter, Noel, to Mr. John Kilary O'Keefe, youngest son of the late Capt. M. L. O'Keefe and Mrs. M. O'Keefe of Pendergast Street, Victoria. The marriage will take place on April 18.

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Lieut.-Col. H. M. Urquhart, D.S.O., M.C., of Victoria, B.C., honorary aide-de-camp to His Majesty the King, arrived at Government House to-day to spend some time as the guest of Their Excellencies the Governor-General and the Lady Byng of Vimy.—Ottawa Journal.

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Lieut.-Col. B. W. Browne and Mrs. Browne are expected in Victoria early in April from Kingston, Ont. Mrs. Browne before her marriage was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Rochester of Vancouver, and will visit her parents in the mainland city, en route to Victoria.

Miss Mary Marpole has returned to her home in Vancouver after being the guest of Mrs. Harry Bullen for the past ten days.

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Miss May Armstrong, a graduate of the Vancouver General Hospital, is visiting Victoria and is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Percy Criddle, Dallas Road.

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Mrs. W. J. Sippell was hostess at one of the "chain luncheons" in aid of the Y.W.C.A. building fund on Thursday at the Metropolitan Parsonage, Johnson Street. The table was most attractively arranged with sweet peas and violets, and the guests included Mrs. R. J. Robertson, Mrs. W. E. Harper, Mrs. W. Hembroff, Mrs. Angus McKeown, Mrs. W. H. Gee, Mrs. W. H. Whiteley, Mrs. A. Read and Mrs. R. Koyl. The guests were much interested in the project, and signified their willingness to add more links to the chain.

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Mrs. J. E. C. Hyndman, Granite Street, entertained on Saturday at a tea for her daughter, Miss Beryl Hyndman, who is home from the University of Washington, and Miss Florence Miller of Omak, Washington. Those invited included the Misses Naomi Mitchell, Mabel and Alice Cotton, Marjorie and Florence Oates, Dilys Bennett, Peggy and Betty Schofield, Esther and Amy Alexander, Nancy and Bobbie Ross, Helen and Kathleen Colpman, Janet Gourlay-Lang, May Sims of the University of Washington, Kathleen Ross, Menina and Justa McKenna, Catherine Fraser and others.

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Mrs. Hermann Robertson threw open her charming home on Clive Drive on Saturday afternoon for a bridge and mah jong party in aid of the funds of the Margaret Rocke Robertson Chapter, I.O.D.E., of which she is regent. The affair proved most successful, twelve tables being in play and many additional guests joining the players at the tea hour. Mrs. Robertson was assisted by Mrs. Emerson Smith, Mrs. E. V. Finland and Miss Helen Marling on the reception committee and Miss Lomah Mable acted as convener of the tables. Flowering currant and Japanese plum blossom enhanced the beauty of the reception rooms and bowls of daffodils graced the tea table. Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Municipal regent, was among the guests for tea.

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The Misses Pillar and Mr. Charles Pillar entertained at an informal dance at their home, 116 Olive Street. A buffet supper was served at 11 o'clock. Mr. Alex. Walker supplied the music, to which the guests danced till an early hour. The Misses Marjorie Douglas, Ada Moffat, May Crombie, Norma Pendray, Hilda Barrow, Helen Douglas, Mary Mackay, Quenofy Keown, Dorothy Gibson, Gertrude Ponsford, Jessie McKenzie, Muriel Banfield, Margaret Boyden, Ethel Ponsford, Muriel Ponsford (Parksville), Ella Pottinger, Edna McKenzie, Eleanor Pillar, Joyce Pillar, and Messrs. Benny McMillen, Will Pendray, Cecil Hulke, Johnny Foubister, Earl Squires, Leslie Matthews, Bob Crombie, Van Norcross, Henry Estlin, Brian Hunnings, George Porteous, Bethel Adams, Walter Holder, Reg Woods, Steve Barclay, Dick Phillips (of Parksville), Stanley Carver, and Charlie Pillar.

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NANOOSE BAY

Mrs. W. Streeter, who has been visiting in Vancouver for the past few weeks, has returned to her home at Red Gap.

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Mr. Horton Hardy is leaving to take up his residence in Chemainus this week.

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Mr. and Mrs William Bass and son Freddy of Powder Point spent the week-end at Parksville.

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Mrs. William Smith, who has been the guest of Mrs. Alex. Guenlette at Nanoose, left for Bowser on Friday.

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Mr. Joe Costella, who has been spending the past few weeks visiting in Seattle and Sound cities, returned to Nanoose during the week.

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Mrs. A. Ford and infant son have returned to Parksville from Nanaimo.

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Mr. and Mrs. I. Corlett have taken up their residence in their new home just completed, on the Island Highway.

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Mrs. C. Hardy has returned from visiting in Vancouver.

COUNTESS' DAUGHTER WEDS

Felicia Gizycka, daughter of Countess Gizycka, has been married to Drew Pearson. The bride is nineteen years of age. The marriage took place in Long Beach, California. Mrs. Gizycka, mother of the bride, is a Chicago girl, the former Eleanor Patterson, whose marriage to the dashing Russian-Polish cavalry officer, Count Joseph Gizycka, was one of the brilliant social affairs in Washington in the Spring of 1904. The bride of to-day, Felicia, for whose custody a titled father and a determined American mother struggled over the length and breadth of Europe, and for the safety of whose future a Czar finally intervened, is a granddaughter of the late Robert W. Patterson, a niece of J. M. Patterson of The Chicago Tribune and a great-granddaughter of Joseph Medill.

I.O.D.E. AWARDS FOUR BIG SCHOLARSHIPS

Ex-Service Men Given Post-Graduate Courses in Great Britain

The Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire have recently appointed four men to go to Britain in the Autumn for a year's post-graduate study. These overseas post-graduate scholarships form part of the War Memorial of the Order, the other two parts being the award of bursaries in Canadian universities to soldiers' children, and the presentation to schools of pictures representing Canada's part in the war. When the War Memorial fund is complete it will be possible to send a man or woman overseas each year from each province; at present it is possible to send only four one year and five the next. So far, eighteen men and women, two from each Province, have held these scholarships.

It is interesting to notice that not only have all the Provinces been represented in the award of these scholarships, but almost all Canadian colleges and universities. Men and women have gone or will soon go to Britain from Dalhousie, Acadia, Mount Allison, the University of New Brunswick, McGill, Queens, the University of Toronto, Western, various affiliated colleges of the University of Manitoba, and the Provincial Universities of Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia.

ALL EX-SERVICE MEN

This year the following men have been appointed: From Manitoba, Wilhelm Kristjanson, B.A., of the University of Manitoba; from Ontario, Gilbert Norman Tucker, B.A., of Western University; from Quebec, Alexander Ree, of McGill University; from Saskatchewan, Leslie Hamilton Neatby, of the University of Saskatchewan. Of these four men all except Mr. Neatby spent several years in service overseas, and all were wounded. Mr. Neatby, who was too young to go overseas himself, had a brother serving in France who was wounded and decorated.

All four are highly recommended by the various University authorities, not only for their academic work but for the earnestness and enthusiasm with which they have taken their part in the various activities of college life and work. Mr. Tucker, returning to college after the war, completed a distinguished undergraduate course, worked at special problems in Canadian history in the archives at Ottawa, and has been doing post-graduate work in history at the University of Wisconsin. He looks forward, after a year's study at an English university, to teaching in Canada.

Mr. Kristjanson, who has been an outstanding figure in the undergraduate life of Wesley College, Winnipeg, also intends to continue his study of history. Mr. Ree, like Mr. Kristjanson, was older than most men in entering college, because of his war service, but his tenacity and eagerness have impressed his instructors. He is taking his degree in geology, and hopes, after further training in a British University, to work as a geologist in British Columbia, where he should be able to give service of distinct value to the country. Mr. Neatby is a much younger man, just completing his arts course, but he has done excellent work both in his classes and as editor of the college magazine. He hopes on his return to Canada to go into journalism.

Differing in many respects, these four Canadians are all men who should be eminently able to use to the best advantage the opportunities which these scholarships will give them, opportunities not only for further study but also for coming into touch with British life and thought, and which should fit them to take, on their return, a more adequate part in Canadian life.

Primrose Lodge—Lodge Primrose No. 32 of the Daughters and Maids of England held its regular meeting in the Harmony Hall on Friday evening, March 27, with President Sister Joyce in the chair. Proposals for membership were received from several ladies, and it is expected that they will be initiated at the next regular meeting, which will be held on Good Friday. The president reported on the executive meeting of both lodges, when it was decided to hold the annual church service at the City Temple on May 31. A very successful dance was held after the meeting. A jolly crowd danced until 11.30 o'clock to the music of Larman's orchestra. During the interval delicious refreshments were served.

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SUES AFTER TWENTY YEARS AS DIVORCEE

Mrs. Duke Sues "Tobacco King" For Maintenance After Long Lapse

New York, March 30.—Although divorced nearly twenty years ago by James P. Duke, "tobacco king," Mrs. Lillian N. Duke is suing him for separation and maintenance, maintaining that she is still his wife.

This action was disclosed Saturday when former Governor Nathan L. Miller, counsel for Mr. Duke, moved to dismiss the suit. He obtained a show cause order from Supreme Court Justice Mullan and there will be a hearing April 8.

Mr. Duke, who last December donated $46,000,000 for educational and charitable purposes, including $6,000,000 to Trinity College in North Carolina which later changed its name to Duke University, obtained a divorce from the plaintiff in New Jersey in 1906. A year after it was granted he married Mrs. Nanaline Holt Inman of Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. Miller to-night said Mr. Duke's former wife carried the case to the court of last appeal in New Jersey and that the validity of the divorce is unquestionable. It is understood that when the divorce was granted Mrs. Duke was given $500,000 by the tobacco magnate. In 1922 she lost $325,000 cash and $50,000 worth of jewels in a fraud engineered by Alfred H. Lindsay, a broker.

Hockey Club Dance—The Victoria Grass Hockey Club will hold another of its popular dances on Saturday next in the Knights of Columbus Hall, Government Street. Dancing will be from 8.30 to 12, to the music of Heaton's orchestra. The ladies of the club will provide the refreshments for the occasion. Tickets may be obtained from members of the club or by telephoning 606. A large attendance is expected next Saturday, as these dances are becoming increasingly popular.

Lecture on Porcelain.—A lecture on "Antique Chinese Porcelain" will be given by Mr. George Carter before the Island Arts and Crafts Society in their rooms, 302-3 Union Bank Building, on Wednesday evening, April 1, at 8.15 o'clock. All interested are cordially invited to attend.

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BRENTWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. George Watt, "Carrickmore," Durrance, accompanied by Mrs. C. Sarup, were the guests on Thursday of the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Daly, Victoria.

Mr. G. Hamm of Vancouver is a visitor in Victoria and is a guest at the Balmoral Hotel.

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Notice to Charge Customers

All purchases made tomorrow, March 31, will be charged on next month's account and statement presented in May.

A Special in Neckwear

Stiff Linen Collar and Cuffs Sets, in Peter Pan style, in pink, brown, tan, blue, rose, maize, jade and beige; novelty checks; also plain colors and white; value $1.25. Month End Sale ..... 79¢

—Main Floor

Bargains in Ribbons

5-inch Ribbon
New Dresden Ribbon, in light floral designs, also in check and Roman stripes, and moire ribbon, in colors of rose, scarlet, white, navy, brown, saxe and pink, suitable for hair bows, sashes and other purposes. 5 inches wide; values to 59c. Month End Sale, per yard .. 29¢

Satin Ribbon
Swiss and Canadian Makes, guaranteed not to split, in colors of scarlet, mauve, white, brown, sky, paon and black; 4½ and 5 inches wide; regular 45c. Month End Sale, per yard .. 35¢

—Main Floor

500 Yards of Narrow Laces 6 Yards for 25c

Nottingham Cotton Laces and Insertions, suitable for trimming women's and children's underwear, a good assortment of patterns to choose from; values to 10c a yard. Month End Sale, 6 yards for 25¢

Radium Silk Lace 98c a Yard

Radium Silk Allover and Flouncing in colors of jade, champagne, henna, helio, flame, nile, grey, green, black. Suitable for dresses, trimmings, sleeves, panels, etc. 36 inches wide; regular $1.25 and $1.50 a yard. Month End Sale, Per yard ..... 98¢

—Main Floor

Two Special Values in Hosiery

Kayser Glove Silk Hose
Just a few pairs of Kayser Glove Silk Hose, in fancy striped effect with pointed heels and wide hemmed tops, brown and navy only; sizes 8½. Values to $3.00. Month End Sale, per pair $1.35

Lisle Hose
Hudsonian Lisle Hose, with seam at back of leg, wide hemmed tops and reinforced feet, in shades of grey, shell, dawn, stone, Airedale, black and white; sizes 8½ to 10. Month End Sale, 3 pairs for $1.35

—Main Floor

Bargains in the China Department

Breakfast Cups and Saucers
Large Size Breakfast Cups and Saucers with gold band decoration; value 25c. Month-end Sale, per cup and saucer ..... 15¢

Butter Dishes
Covered Glass Butter Dishes, ideal for kitchen use; regular 35c. Month-end Sale, each .. 25¢

Oatmeal Dishes
English make, clover leaf and colored band design in good quality porcelain; values to $2.00. Month-end Sale, 6 for ..... 75¢

Tumblers
100 Dozen Medium Weight Tumblers in plain and fluted styles; just the kind for clubs, tearooms or household use. Month-end Sale, 6 for ..... 45¢

—Lower Main Floor

New English Ginghams at 15c a Yard

26-Inch Ginghams, in a wide choice of desirable and attractive patterns. Ideal for Summer frocks, aprons, children's dresses and bloomers. Month End Sale, per yard 15c

—Main Floor

New English Ratines at 79c a Yard

New English Ratines, in a semi-rough finish, ideal for sports or street dresses. Every desirable shade is shown including powder blue, corn, almond, golden gate, shell, mauve, rose, ivory, helio and ecru; 36 inches wide. Excellent value at, per yard .. 79c

—Main Floor

Fully Bleached Sheeting at 39c a Yard

Of Good Weight and Dependable Quality these fully Bleached Sheetings will give excellent wear. They are free from filling and evenly woven from strong round thread; 72 inches wide. Month-end Sale, per yard 39c

A MONTH-END SPECIAL IN

New Spring Hats

A Splendid Assortment of Ready-to-Wear and Semi-trimmed Hats, in Tagal, Hemp and Visca Straws, in all the newest shapes. Many are bound and trimmed with silk ribbon while others are trimmed with silk scarves. Colors include navy, tan, grey, red, brown and black. Month End Sale $2.49

—Second Floor

Flannelette Blouses, Values to $1.95 for $1.39

Made from splendid quality flannelette with convertible collar and long sleeves, in self colors, others in smart stripes; values to $1.95. Broken sizes. Month End Sale $1.39

—Second Floor

Girls' Sweaters, Values to $4.50 for $2.98

Girls' Sweaters, in slip-over or cardigan style, brushed wool or plain knit, choice of roll or turn-down collar. Splendid garments for school wear, in colors of navy, brown and tan; sizes 6 to 10 years. Values to $4.50. Month End Sale $2.98

—Second Floor

100 Infants' Bonnets to Clear at 39c Each

Infants' Bonnets, in silk, repp, bearskin and corduroy. Turn-back or Dutch styles, trimmed with satin bows or embroidery; sizes 3 to 9 months. Values to $1.95. Month-end Sale 39c

Month-end Specials in the Toy Department

New Automatic Repeating Pistols
Complete with 1,200 shots. Special at ..... 50¢

New Aerial Tops
Spins in the air. Special, at ..... 10¢

Dressed Dolls
50 only, dressed dolls, with sleeping eyes; values $1.25. Sale Price ..... 95¢

Marbles
In bags containing 50 marbles and allie. Price ..... 10¢

Glass Allies
3 for ..... 5¢

Character Knock-about Dolls
These dolls are slightly soiled hence we are clearing them at half their original price ..... 25¢

Beautiful Bisque Body Jointed Dolls
Undressed dolls with kid shoes and stockings, long curly hair, sleeping eyes and eye lashes; regular $2.95. Sale Price, $1.95

—Lower Main Floor

Towels

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Size 24x46 inches. Each 49c
Size 26x50 inches. Each 59c
Size 27x48 inches. Each 79c

EXTRA SPECIAL

Thick Turkish Towels, in all white, striped or with fancy ends; size 24x48. Sale Price 69c

—Main Floor

Boys' Suits

With Extra Bloomers Special, $7.95

Serviceable Tweed Suits, in dark grey and heather patterns. Pleated back coats, with patch pockets and three-piece belt. Full cut bloomers with belt loops and patent governor fasteners; sizes to fit boys 8 to 18 years. With two pairs of bloomers

$7.95

—Main Floor

Boys' Percale Shirts, Sale Price, 89c

Boys' Shirts of good quality percale in blue with white stripes and white with blue or black pin stripes, finished with one breast pocket and buttoned cuffs and attached collar; sizes 6 to 14 years. Month End Sale 89c

—Main Floor

Men's Underwear at 69c a Garment

Made from good quality natural cotton yarns. Single-breasted Shirts with long sleeves, ankle length drawers. Month End Sale, per garment 69c

Combinations with long sleeves and ankle length or short sleeves and knee length. Per suit $1.25

—Main Floor

Men's Work Shirts, Special, $1.29

Made from good wearing khaki twill and blue chambray. Full cut garments with collar attached and one breast pocket, double sewn throughout; all sizes. Month End Sale $1.29

—Main Floor

Clearing Lines in Corsets

Values to $3.75 for $1.69

Included in this Month-end Clearance are C. C., A La Grace and D and A Corsets, in small sizes. These are made from durable quality coutils and sterling cloths. Included, too, are some Gossard front lace models, suitable for slender figures, requiring a lightly boned, low top corset. Also a few non-lacing girdles, in sizes 21 to 25. Values to $3.75 Month-end Sale

$1.69

—Second Floor

Women's Seasonable Underwear at Month-end Sale Prices

Vests
100 Vests, in medium weight, fleeced knit cotton, opera top style only; sizes 36 to 40. Month-end Bargain ..... 79¢

Drawers To Match Above Vests
Open or closed, knee length; sizes 36 to 40. Month-end Bargain ..... 79¢

Vests
In medium weight knit cotton, opera or sleeveless styles; sizes 38 and 40. Value $1.50. Month-end Bargain ..... 98¢

Bloomers To Match Above Vests
Full cut garments with gusset; cream only. Sizes 36 to 40. Month-end Bargain .... 98¢

—Second Floor

Satin and Moire Underskirts Reduced for Month-end Selling

Excellent Quality Silk and Linen Moire Underskirts, with smart, pleated flounces, in shades of rose, henna, nigger and navy; also black. Others in heavy quality satin with accordion pleated flounces, in shades of taupe, Paddy, navy, Pekin, purple and flesh; also black.

Value to $5.95. Month-end Sale $3.98

Values to $6.95. Month-end Sale $4.98

—Second Floor

Month-end Bargains in Women's Coats, Dresses and Skirts

New Sports Coats, Values to $15.95 For $7.95
Smartly Tailored Coats, in the popular raglan style, trench back, all round belt, slip and patch pockets, half lined. Choice from reindeer, taupe and grey; sizes 16 to 42. Month End Sale $7.95

Silk Dresses, Values to $29.50 For $9.95
The styles are quite new featuring mostly the straight line mode. Fashioned from Canton, flat crepe and georgette, in colors of brown, grey, cocoa, powder, navy and black. Trimmings include beads, ribbons, embroidery and applique, short and elbow length sleeves; sizes 16 to 36. Values to $29.50. Month End Sale $9.95

Pleated Skirts With Camisole Tops
Made from good wearing crepe on camisole tops, in a variety of new pleatings. Shown in grey, brown and cream; sizes 16 to 42. Month End Bargain $2.95

—Second Floor

Attractive Values in Women's Spring Footwear

Fashionable Black Kid Strap Slippers
Black Kid Slippers for After- and Street wear, one and two strap styles with medium Cuban heels. Ideal shoes for dress wear; sizes 3 to 7. Month End Sale. Per pair $4.75

Opera Pumps
This season's step-in French Opera Pumps, in black kid and patent leather, with Baby Spanish covered heels, made on a short vamp round toe last; sizes 3 to 7. Month End Sale, per pair $3.95

Street Oxfords
Choice of patent leather, black kid and brown calf Oxfords with welted soles and trim Cuban heels; sizes 3 to 7. Month End Sale, per pair $4.75

—Main Floor

Month-end Bargains in Carpets and Draperies

Small Size Wash Rugs
Closely Woven Wash Rugs in atractive patterns for bedrooms and bath rooms; size 27x54. Month-end Sale ..... 75¢

Cocoa Door Mats
Superior Heavy Quality Brush Mats size 14x24. Sale Price, 75¢

English Axminster Hearth Rugs
Soft Pile Axminster Rugs in good colorings and designs; size 27x54. Month-end Sale $3.95

Fast Color Wash Rugs
Guaranteed Rose Color Wash Rugs of splendid wearing quality, ideal for bedrooms; size 6x9. Month-end Sale $10.95

Large Size Chenille Rugs
Heavy Chenille Rugs in attractive Oriental designs and most exquisite colorings, reversible.
Size 4.5x6.6. Sale Price ... $8.50
Size 5x7. Sale Price $12.50
Size 6.2x9.2. Sale Price, $19.50

Feltol Floor Covering
Felt Base Floor Covering in attractive designs, suitable for any room in the house; 6 feet wide. Sale Price, per sq. yd. ..... 49¢

Bordered Marquisette
36-inch Brown Marquisette with double borders, suitable for side drapes and curtains; regular 45c. Sale Price, per yard ..... 25¢

50-inch Cretonnes
Good Quality Cretonnes in stripe and allover effects; 50 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard .. 75¢

English Shadow Cloth
Superior quality warp, printed shaded cloth in attractive designs; 31 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard ..... 98¢

Drug Sundries for Tuesday

Scott's Emulsion, large size .. 88¢
Listerine, medium size ..... 39¢
Sodium Phosphate, 1-lb. tins .. 35¢
Shaving Cream, large tubes .. 29¢
Shaving Brushes, $1.75 value $1.49
Bidwell's Whalebone Brushes. Special at $1.69
Ladies' Dressing Combs, large size ..... 63¢
Bobbed Hair Combs, special quality, at ..... 39¢
Palmer's Liquid Shampoo, 50c value ..... 43¢
Palm Olive Shampoo, 50c value ..... 37¢
Savar Castile Soap, large bars ..... 43¢
Vinolia Winsome Soap, 10c value, 3 for ..... 23¢
Wright's Coal Tar Soap, 25c size, box of 3 for ..... 63¢
Pond's Cold Cream Jars, 50c value ..... 43¢
Assorted Talcum Powders, popular odors ..... 19¢
Coty's Talcum Powder, fancy glass bottles ..... 98¢
French Ivory Mirrors, extra heavy, 25% off.
Manicure Pieces, values to 50c for ..... 23¢
Hygienic Toilet Paper, 25c values, 3 for ..... 66¢
Dr. Good's Sanitary Napkins, 85c value ..... 73¢
Compressed Napkins, 75c value ..... 66¢
Hat Dyes, Dyola and Colorite, 25¢ and ..... 30¢
Paas Easter Egg Dyes, 10c pkgs., 2 for ..... 15¢

Grocery Specials

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Five Roses Purity and Royal Household Flour, 24-lb. sack $1.40
49-lb. sack $2.75
98-lb. sack $5.45
Finest Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20-lb. paper sack, $1.43
100-lb. sack $7.15
Hudson's Bay Ceylon Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb. 63¢, 3 lbs. for $1.85
Hudson's Bay Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb. ..... 40¢
Finest Quality Recleaned Australian Currants, per lb. 17¢, 3 lbs. for ..... 50¢
King Oscar Brand Sardines; regular size, per tin, 17¢, 3 tins for ..... 50¢
Cremo Biscuits, a delicious chocolate confection, per lb. ..... 39¢
Nabob Jelly Powders, all the popular flavors, 4 pkts. for ..... 28¢
No. 1 Quality Medium Pearl Tapioca. Special at 3½ lbs. for ..... 25¢
Finest Quality White Sago, 3½ lbs. for ..... 25¢
Fresh Local Rhubarb, 2 lbs. for ..... 25¢
New Season's Asparagus, per lb. ..... 25¢
Hot House Cucumbers, each, 30¢ and ..... 35¢
Fine Quality Cooking Potatoes, 15 lbs. for ..... 50¢
Golden Ray Haddie Fillets, per lb. ..... 24¢

LOCAL FRESH EGGS
Fresh Farm Eggs, B.C. Fints, per doz. ..... 30¢
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SANITATION FOR CHICAGO TAKES CANADA'S MONEY

Water From Great Lakes For American Sanitary District Means Huge Loss

Toronto, March 30.—The lowering of the levels of the Great Lakes means the whole Canadian fleet suffers a loss which amounts to one complete trip each year, stated Francis King, solicitor of the Dominion Marine Association, here last night. He said Canadian shipowners were by no means satisfied with the decision of the United States Secretary of War in the matter of diversion of Great Lakes water by the Chicago Sanitary District.

"Canadians do not perhaps, realize the gravity of the situation," Mr. King said. "A loss of one inch in the water levels reduces the carrying capacity of a ship from 75 to 100 tons. Working this out, we find that the seasonal loss amounts to anywhere from $100,000,000 to $400,000,000."

LOCAL SHIPPING MEN IN SEATTLE

Vjsit American City to Inspect Progress of Big Washington Port

Seattle, March 30.—Victoria has her eye on Seattle, declared Captain W. M. Allan, Victoria shipping man, who arrived last night with three Canadian shipping men to inspect the local harbor. To-day the party will be guests of Colonel Paul Edwards, port warden, on a water tour of the harbor. Later in the day they will inspect the new offices of the Admiral-Oriental Line, which will be occupied this morning for the first time.

"We are anxious to see the wonderful progress made by our American neighbor," Captain Allan said. "Each year we make a trip down here for the purpose of looking over improvements made and to get an idea of what is planned.

"We realize that thousands of tourists that visit Victoria come through Seattle and get their first impression of a big seaport city here."

SOUTHERN WHALERS GET GOOD CATCHES

Reports From Norwegian Whaling Fleet Tells of Prosperous Season

San Diego, Cal., March 30.—After one of the most successful whaling seasons in the history of the industry on the Pacific Coast, the Norwegian whaling fleet, which has been operating out of Magdalena Bay for several months, will leave soon for home, according to word brought here to-day by the officers of the motorship Grymo. Two of the whalers, the Balboa and Mexico, are now seeking whales off Cape San Luis and the mouth of the Gulf of California, but it is reported their recent catches have been few. The fleet, laden with several thousands barrels of whale oil and more than 3,000 tons of crushed whalebone, will leave Magdalena Bay soon for San Francisco, the Grymo reported.

Is Expected Boy Will Recover After Fall on Mountain

Vancouver, March 30.—Following his miraculous escape from death after plunging 800 feet down a precipice on the ice encrusted sides of Grouse Mountain Saturday, Sidney Harling, fourteen-year-old schoolboy of North Vancouver, is slowly recovering from the effects of his terrible experience, and has a fighting chance to recover, Dr. H. Dyer stated to-day after visiting the injured lad, who is still lying in Mr. and Mrs. Don Munday's cabin, 4,000 feet up the mountain.

From the position where the unconscious boy was found by Mr. and Mrs. Munday, who effected the rescue, a further fall of only ten feet would have resulted in the boy plunging an additional 1,000 feet into a yawning abyss, to be dashed on the rocks far below.

Huge Exportation

London, March 30.—The Government of the Australian State of Victoria has selected Hull as a distributing centre for regular fruit cargoes, for which new direct sailings will be instituted. Six thousand five hundred packages of pears arrived to-day from Victoria.

WOUNDED PHYSICIAN IS MAKING RECOVERY

Vancouver, March 30.—The condition of Dr. George H. Wilson, victim of a bullet wound alleged to have been caused by a gun fired by Alfred Hershlik, a Pole, last Tuesday, is slightly improved, Dr. W. G. Morris of Burnbay stated to-day.

It is stated it will be some time before Dr. Wilson will be able to make a statement in connection with the alleged shooting. Hershlik is confined in Oakalla jail pending a hearing on an open charge in Burnaby police court Tuesday.

John Cantwell Died in Montreal

Montreal, March 30—John Cantwell, seventy-eight years old, retired executive of the C.P.R. Telegraphs and pioneer in telegraphy in Canada, died here to-day. He had been in ill health for a number of years. He was born in Quebec.

Big Drydock Open to Public

The drydock at Esquimalt, the second largest on the continent, will be thrown open to the public next Sunday, it was announced to-day by J. P. Forde, chief engineer of the Dominion Department of Public Works.

Mr. Forde explained that work at the dock has now advanced to such a point that the public will be able to visit the dock without danger of impeding the work. The dock will also be open to the public on following Sundays, but it will remain closed during the week while work is going on.

GREAT WARLORDS ENCOURAGE LESS POWERFUL CHIEFS

General Feng at Peking and General Chang of Mukden Behind Fighting, is Belief

Chinese Engineer Traveling Through Here Says Bitter War Ahead of China

"There is fighting now in China, and the business men who have said that there will be a more widespread outbreak of fighting in that country are probably correct," said Liu Teh Yu, an Oriental engineer, educated in Shanghai and now going to Pittsburg, where he intends to do postgraduate and research work at an electrical college there. Mr. Liu is closely in touch with the present situation in China having interested himself in the matter of railroad construction and having watched with alarm the seizures of the various lines connecting the interior with the coast.

"The clouds of war again hang threateningly over China and the armies of the great leaders are already beginning to show signs of preparation for the coming campaign," he said.

BIG CLASH COMING

The Chinese engineer explained the position of affairs as they stand in China from a military point of view. General Feng Yu Hsiang and General Chang Tso Lin, the great Mukden war lord, were really directing the lesser generals in their campaigns. These tw omen were the outstanding rivals in China and before long, Mr. Liu believes, they will be at death grips. But just now they are merely encouraging the fighting between others.

CAULDRON OF HOPE

"It is generally admitted in my country that China is approaching a crisis, which will decide the military superiority of two great armies," he said. "Whether or not there will develop a leader who can mould China into one great nation, with all provinces striving for a common ideal, the welfare of the nation as a whole, remains to be seen. We have hopes that this time is near at hand," Mr. Liu declared. "But there will be bloodshed and terror in China before the trouble is settled," he prophesied.

EMPRESS LINER HAS HEAVY LIST OUTBOUND FRIDAY

Asia Will Carry Three Hundred; Many Prominent Persons on Ship

Upwards of 300 passengers will sail for the Orient on Friday on the Canadian Pacific Ss. Empress of Asia, Capt. L. D. Douglas, R.N.R., commanding, from this port.

Prominent on the saloon list will be G. S. Bull, of New York, a director of the National Aniline and Chemical Company, en route to Japan, G. S. Beebe, also of New York, of Carter, Macey and Company, A. K. Ruroll, of the Singer Sewing Machine Company, New York, P. E. Bonsfield, of Pellier and Company, prominent tea merchants of Shidzuoka, Japan, H. C. Hutchings, of the General Motors Export Corporation, Harry Lachlin, well-known representative of the Jardine Matheson Company, Shanghai, returning from a holiday in the Old Country. G. B. McFarland of New York, enu route to Bangkok, Siam, G. H. Pson, of Rothschild and Company, importers of crude rubbed en route to the Malay Straits, and O. D. Wanamaker, also of New York.

H. L. Wilson, prominent business man of Winnipeg, accompanied by his mother and his daughter, Miss Helen S. Wilson, will also sail on the Asia on a pleasure tour of the Orient. H. W. Stevenson, well known billiard player, will also be on board.

CLEARS WITH BIG LUMBER SHIPMENT

El Abeto Left Here For Atlantic Seaboard Yesterday With 600,000 Feet

After loading 600,000 feet of timebr from local mills, the Ss. El Abeto left here yesterday morning at 4 o'clock for hte Atlantic Coast, whereshe will discharge her cargo. She also loaded timber at Mainland points. The Canadian Puget Sound Lumber Company supplied her local cargo.

There is a second ship still loading at the Rithet piers, the Kurchine Maru. She is loading ties supplied by the Cameron Lumber Company. This ship will probably clear from this port within a day. She is being rapidly loaded.

GREAT NORTHERN SPACES SPANNED BY WIRELESS NOW

New Government Stations to Provide Communications Through Barren Areas

Hudson's Bay to be Linked With Winnipeg Under New Communication System

By Times Staff Representative

Ottawa, March 30—Vast areas in northern Canada, where the only inhabitants are Indians, Eskimos, white trappers and mounted police, are being linked together now by a far reaching system of Government wireless stations.

With the construction of a wireless station at Aklava, at the mouth of the Mackenzie River, and another at Fort Smith, in the Mackenzie River basin, the wireless telegraph network for the Northwest Territories will be complete. The Government is now turning its attention from the West to the eastern part of this enormous territory and the next station to be erected, it is announced, will be on the western shores of Hudson Bay. This station will be strong enough to communicate with Winnipeg and, it is hoped with a station to be established on Baffin Land. It is probable that the new station will be built at Chesterfield Inlet.

Preparations already are proceeding for the annual Government expedition into the Arctic this year. Contrary to expectations, the new boat bought in England by the Northwest Territories branch of the Department of the Interior will not be used for this venture. The boat, which is called the Franklin, has been found to be too small to provision itself for so long a voyage and will be used for other purposes. The numerous posts now established on Baffin Island and Essesmere Island, as well as in the most central parts of the Arctic, it is stated, really require two boats. This year's trip into the Arctic will be made by the ship which has done this work for several years.

FINE IMMIGRANTS FROM BRITAIN ARE COMING TO CANADA

Halifax, March 30.—As fine a body of new settlers as ever came to Canada were landed here to-day from the Canopic of the White Star Dominion Line, and are now traveling towards various destinations in Quebec, Ontario and the western provinces, on board a special train operated over the Canadian National Railways. There were approximately 500 in the various parties which passed through the immigration departments for inspection this morning, and officials of that branch frequently commented upon the splendid appearance, the fine physique, the sturdy children and the general air of confidence and alertness which marked these groups from the British Isles who came to test the Dominion as a land of opportunity.

SEVERAL PARTIES

The total of 500 was formed of several parties, one being made up of thirty-three families brought to Canada under the scheme of the assisted settlement of approved British families in which the Government of Great Britain and of Canada are cooperating. The families numbered in all 168 individuals, and will settle in various parts of the Dominion. In addition to this large group there also came by the Canopic another party of farm faborers and a small party of boys, the latter brought to Canada under the auspices of the British immigration and colonization association of Canada, with which organization the Department of Colonization and Development of the Canadian National Railways is cooperating. These patries, while on the Canopic, were in charge of W. I. Clegg, of the C.N.R. colonization department, who will proceed with some of his charges to various western localities.

POSITIONS BY WIRELESS

ESTEVAN, 8 p.m.—CANADIAN SCOTTISH, 815 miles south of Flattery, inbound.

CANADIAN FARMER, bound Victoria, 488 miles from Victoria.

FLORIDA MARU, bound Vancouver, noon yesterday 47:38 N., 174:42 W.

EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA, 2,805 miles from Victoria, outbound.

CANADIAN VOYAGEUR, 1,078 miles from Victoria, found Australia.

Estevan—Clear; light, northwest; bar. 29.90; temp., 36; sea smooth.

Pachena—Part cloudy; bar., 29.30; temp., 36; sea smooth.

Alert Bay—Clear; calm; bar., 30.02; sea, calm.

Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; bar., 30.05; temp., 30; sea smooth.

Prepare River For Gold Rush

The Stikine River will be in shape to handle the traffic on it expected as a result of the gold rush to Dease Lake, J. P. Forde, chief engineer of the Department of Public Works, announced today. Authority has been received here from Ottawa to proceed with the improvement of the river, taking out all snags and sleepers dangerous to river boat traffic. The work will be completed by May 15.

STEAMERS COLLIDE IN RAGING STORM

San Francisco, March 30.—The Standard Oil tanker Captain A. Lucas collided with the three-masted schooner Maweena, owned by the Alaska Codfishing Company, in San Francisco Bay near Goat Island to-day during a windstorm. Little damage was apparent as the vessels were pulled away by tugs.

The storm, which swept the bay from the southwest, tumbled shipping about and forced a tie-up of many small craft. Ferries were also delayed.

STRAW-PACKED GOODS PILE UP AT MANY PORTS

Eastern Businessmen Protest to Government Against Cattle Regulations

Steamship Firms Still Fail to Co-operate With Federal Authorities

By Times Staff Representative

Ottawa, March 30 — Straw-packed goods are piling up at many Canadian ports because the Federal Department of Agriculture will not admit them to this country under its foot-and-mouth disease regulations and because shipping companies have failed completely to co-operate with the Government in enforcing these regulations. The situation is growing so acute that numerous delegations of shippers and importers have come here lately to ask relief from the Government, and innumerable telegrams and letters on the subject have been received.

The Pacific coast, which has suffered greatly by the agricultural regulations, is not alone in its predicament. Cargo after cargo of straw-packed goods has arrived at Halifax for shipment to various points in Eastern Canada, and has been refused admission. In January two such cargoes arrived, in February there were four, and in the first part of March there have been no less than nine. Under the existing rules, before these goods can be landed in Canada they must be shipped back to Britain, repacked and shipped back here without any straw around them.

Toronto importers are greatly agitated over the present situation which prevents them from receiving large quantities of goods brought to the Dominion from the Old Country in the last few weeks. A delegation representing Toronto shipping firms waited upon officials of the Department of Agriculture within the last few days to demand relief of some kind.

SHIPPERS NOTIFIED

When the regulations now in force were promulgated in January it was decreed that all cargoes originating in countries affected by foot and mouth disease must not be packed in fodder. The shippers in foreign countries, the shipping companies and Canadian businessmen were duly notified of these regulations, and were informed that cargoes arriving at Canadian ports which did not fulfill these requirements ould be returned.

It has been found that the larger Canadian importing firms have faithfully carried out the regulations, but the smaller importers with the connivance of some ship owners have consistently decided not to do so, and time and again have brought to this country cargoes which had to be returned to the point of origin and re-packed, according to Agricultural Department officials. The policy of the shipping companies, in the view of the department, seems to have been to dump goods at Canadian ports, and then rely upon the distress created among business interests to break down the Government regulations.—B.H.

BUSINESS IS BAD IN ORIENT WHILE UNREST REMAINS

Japan and China Both in Slump, Says Shipping Man of Hongkong

"Business is bad in the Orient. Japan is in the throes of economic unrest, China stands in fear and trembling of another war. Conditions are so bad that trade is stagnant and shipping is experiencing a decided slump." These were the statements of M. Wallman, agent for the Admiral Line at Hongkong, when he arrived aboard the liner President Jefferson yesterday morning, bound for Seattle, on a four months' vacation.

"Ever since Dr. Sun Yat Sen, president of South China, died, things have been in a more or less unsettled condition," he said.

SHIPS DOING WELL

Mr. Wallman stated that, since Admiral Line and Dollar interests in the Orient were welded into one, the round-the-world fleet of Dollar boats were making a great success of their operations, and passenger business to Europe was particularly good. The ships follow a general course which leads them from China ports through the China Sea to the Indian Ocean, thence to Alexandria, Naples, Marseilles, Liverpool, across the Atlantic to New York, through the Panama Canal to Los Angeles, San Francisco and back again to the Far Eastern cities.

TRADE COMMISSION BROKE AND SCATTERED IN ORIENT

President Jefferson, Arriving After Pleasant Trip Across Pacific, Brought Few More Members of Touring Party; Vessel Had Heavy Cargo and List of 250 Passengers; unloaded Over 200 Tons Here.

Completing one of the finest trips, as far as weather was concerned, of any that she has made in Winter, Fall or early Spring since she was commissioned, the Admiral Oriental liner President Jefferson arrived here yesterday morning at 9.40 from the Far East, with heavy cargo consignments for this port and for Seattle. Her passenger list numbered 250 souls, with twenty-nine disembarking here, and included several members of the Trade Commission which left Seattle not so long ago to make a tour of the Orient.

W. S. Lincoln, port commissioner for Seattle, who was one of those members of the party who left here to study conditions of business and trade in the Far East, was on the Jefferson yesterday. Although the original party numbered about forty persons in all, there have been only about a dozen of them who have thus far returned from the Orient. The remainder are still roaming about various parts of the East, enjoying their trip for the most part, but doing a considerable amount of business as well. For, as Mr. Lincoln explained, many of them were men who had connections in the East and merely put off their annual business trip to sail as members of the commission party.

The returning members of the commission will be aboard ships from the Orient for the next few months, Mr. Lincoln believes, but the longer they stay in the Far Eastern cities the closer touch they will gain with conditions there. And that is what they wish for.

The cargo on the Jefferson yesterday filled the big ship's holds, and consisted largely of rice, vegetable oils, hemp, silk and other Oriental merchandise. The silk cargo alone was said to be valued at $3,000,000. It was for trans-shipment out of Seattle to the Eastern States. There were well over 200 tons of freight for Victoria which the ship discharged here while she lay alongside the Rithet piers.

Notable passengers aboard the liner included Col. and Mrs. H. A. Orme; the colonel being a retired British Army officer, who has been many years in the Far East and seen service in almost every part of the world.

J. W. Newman, a wealthy New York importer, was another passenger.

J. D. Mackie, of Seattle, prominent lumberman of the Pacific Coast, has been in Japan and China on a lengthy business trip, studying conditions there and looking into the possibilities which lie ahead of the Canadian and American timber exporters and the likihood of a large or small demand from the Orient markets this year.

A. P. Tucker, of the British America Tobacco Company, whose headquarters have been in Tientsin for some time past, is coming to America for a short vacation.

M. Wallman, agent for the Admiral Oriental Line in Hongkong, was another passenger, with four months' leave of absence from duty in the East. He is convinced that within a short time China will be at war again, and that a business slump will follow. The country, he says, has not yet anything like recovered from the last outbreak, and it will be a long while before the trouble is finally settled there.

Joseph T. Fielder, with his family, is a missionary, and has been in the Orient for some years. He, too, is on vacation.

The Jefferson docked here at 9.40 o'clock, arriving at quarantine at 8.30 a.m., and proceeded to Seattle at 12.05 yesterday afternoon.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

OCEAN VESSELS TO ARRIVE

Steamer.	Master.	Ton.	Agent.	From.	Due.
Pres. Jefferson	Nichols		Admiral Line	Orient	March 28
Empress of Canada	Robinson	22,000	C.P.R.	Orient	April 6
Niagara	Showman		C.P.R.	Australia	April 6
Alabama Maru			Rithets	Orient	April 6
President Grant	Jensen		Admiral Line	Orient	April 10
Kaga Maru		6,301	Gt. Northern	Orient	April 12
Empress of Russia	Hosken	16,500	C.P.R.	Orient	April 20
Pres. Madison	Quinn		Admiral Line	Orient	April 22
Paris Maru			Rithets	Orient	April 23

OCEAN VESSELS TO SAIL

Steamer.	Master.	Ton.	Agent.	For.	Departure
Pres. McKinley	Lustic		Admiral Line	Orient	March 28
Empress of Asia	Douglas	16,500	C.P.R.	Orient	April 3
Niagara	Showman		C.P.R.	Australia	April 8
Pres. Jefferson	Nichols		Admiral Line	Orient	April 9
Arizona Maru			Rithets	Orient	April 9
Yokohama Maru		6,290	Gt. Northern	Orient	April 10
Empress of Canada	Robinson	22,000	C.P.R.	Orient	April 17
President Grant	Jensen		Admiral Line	Orient	April 21
Alabama Maru			Rithets	Orient	April 22
Kaga Maru		6,301	Gt. Northern	Orient	April 25

COASTWISE MOVEMENTS

For Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 2.15 p.m.

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11.45 p.m.

From Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 7 a.m.

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 3 p.m.

For Seattle

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 4.30 p.m.

Sol Duc leaves daily, except Sundays, at 10.15 a.m.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria for the month of April, 1925:

Day	Sunrise Hour	Sunrise Min.	Sunset Hour	Sunset Min.
1	5	54	6	40
2	5	52	6	42
3	5	49	6	44
4	5	47	6	46
5	5	44	6	48
6	5	42	6	50
7	5	39	6	51
8	5	37	6	53
9	5	35	6	54
10	5	32	6	56
11	5	31	6	58
12	5	29	6	59
13	5	27	7	00
14	5	24	7	02
15	5	22	7	03
16	5	20	7	05
17	5	18	7	06
18	5	16	7	08
19	5	14	7	09
20	5	12	7	10
21	5	11	7	12
22	5	09	7	13
23	5	08	7	14
24	5	06	7	16
25	5	04	7	17
26	5	03	7	18
27	5	01	7	20
28	5	00	7	21
29	4	58	7	22
30	4	57	7	24

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS
March, 1925

China and Japan

Empress of Australia—Mails close March 30, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama April 3, Yokohama April 7, Hongkong April 10.

President McKinley — Mails close March 28, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama April 9, Shanghai April 14, Hongkong April 16.

Australia and New Zealand

Sierra—Mails close March 21, 4 p.m.; due at Sydney April 14.

Maunganui—Mails close March 22, 4 p.m.; due at Wellington April 13, Sydney April 15.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter left Vancouver for U.K. March 18.

Canadian Highlander arrived Birkenhead February 8.

Canadian Importer left Swansea March 21.

Canadian Inventor arrived Victoria March 28.

Canadian Planter arrived Victoria March 25.

Canadian Prospector left Port Albernie for Yokohama and Shanghai March 15.

Canadian Miller left Victoria for New York and Halifax February 25.

Canadian Winner left Boston for Halifax March 20.

Canadian Coaster left for San Francisco March 22.

Canadian Farmer left San Pedro for San Francisco March 24.

Capadian Rover left Oecan Falls for Astoria March 23.

Canadian Observer arrived Ocean Falls March 25.

Canadian Trooper arrived Sydney, Australia, March 11.

Canadian Spinner arrived Halifax February 10.

Canadian Transporter left Panama for U.K. March 7.

Canadian Ranger left Norfolk for Portsmouth, London and Antwerp March 5.

Canadian Pioneer left San Francisco for U.K. March 15.

Canadian Voyageur left Victoria for Sydney and Melbourne March 22.

Canadian Skirmisher left Avonmouth for Halifax March 17.

Canadian Scottish left Panama Canal for Victoria March 16.

Canadian Seigneur left Antwerp for Victoria March 5.

Canadian Volunteer left Halifax for West India March 8.

TIDE TABLE

April

Date	TimeHt h.m. ft.	TimeHt h.m. ft.	TimeHt h.m. ft.	TimeHt h.m. ft.
1	1.57 7.8	3.00 7.8	4.39 7.8	15.46 3.2
2	2.22 7.9	....	....	16.40 3.7
3	2.41 8.0	....	....	17.31 3.3
4	3.54 7.9	9.28 6.8	10.58 6.9	18.18 2.4
5	3.01 7.7	8.24 6.5	11.57 6.9	19.02 3.5
6	3.09 7.6	8.14 5.9	12.57 7.0	19.43 3.6
7	3.21 7.7	8.34 5.2	13.56 7.2	20.22 3.9
8	3.38 7.8	9.06 4.4	14.53 7.2	21.00 4.2
9	3.54 7.9	9.43 3.7	15.49 7.3	21.37 4.8
10	3.20 8.0	10.25 3.0	16.47 7.2	22.13 5.4
11	3.43 8.1	11.11 2.4	17.54 7.2	22.49 6.2
12	4.04 8.3	11.59 1.9	20.16 7.2	23.28 6.8
13	4.23 8.5	12.50 1.7	21.57 7.3	....
14	0.16 7.2	4.44 8.5	22.44 1.6	23.51 7.6
15	1.30 7.5	5.09 8.3	14.41 1.8	....
16	0.36 7.8	3.06 7.6	5.44 8.0	15.40 2.1
17	1.04 7.9	4.46 7.4	6.48 7.5	16.40 2.5
18	1.21 7.9	6.17 6.8	10.18 7.0	17.38 3.0
19	1.12 7.9	7.14 5.9	11.46 6.9	18.31 3.6
20	1.23 7.9	7.52 5.1	12.06 6.8	19.18 4.2
21	1.42 8.0	8.28 4.1	14.17 6.9	20.01 4.8
22	2.04 8.2	9.03 3.4	15.23 6.9	20.42 5.4
23	2.27 8.3	9.40 2.7	16.32 7.0	21.22 6.0
24	2.51 8.4	10.20 2.3	18.02 7.0	22.02 6.5
25	3.13 8.4	11.02 2.1	20.22 7.1	22.44 6.9
26	3.28 8.3	11.46 2.0	21.57 7.4	23.32 7.3
27	3.18 8.1	12.31 2.1	22.03 7.7	....
28	0.38 7.6	3.31 8.0	13.17 2.2	23.46 7.9
29	2.05 7.7	3.19 7.8	14.03 2.5	....
30	0.16 8.0	....	14.50 2.8	....

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

VESSELS MOVEMENTS

Melita at Southampton from St. John.

Canadian Britisher at Sydney from Halifax.

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Metagama at Clyde from St. John.

Canadian Skirmisher at Halifax from Avonmouth.

Canadian Otter at St. John from British West Indies.

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Apr. 23 ..... Metagama

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Apr. 30 May 23 ..... Marburn

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Apr. 30 May 30 ..... Marloch

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Joe Fow and five other Chinese accused of being found in an opium den were convicted and fined $15 apiece ad costs. One of the accused failed to appear, and bail to the extent of $50 was estreated.

It cost G. D. Tyson $1 to park a car in the business area for longer than one hour. Thomas Stevenson was fined $3 for cycling on a city sidewalk for twenty feet. The twenty feet happened to harbor a constable, it proved.

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CENTENARIAN BURIED IN VICTORIA TO-DAY

Late Mrs. Brodrick Was Born in 1823; Died in Portland

Mrs. Margaret Brodrick, widow of the late Richard Brodrick, passed away on Friday at the home of her daughter in Portland, Oregon. The late Mrs. Brodrick was born in Halifax, Nova Scotia, in 1823 and lived to the ripe old age of 101 years. She is survived by three children, Mrs. F. L. Stinson, Portland; Dr. R. G. Brodrick, Piedmont, Cal., and William Brodrick of Victoria; also four grandchildren. Funeral services were held in Portland, and interment was made this morning in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery, Rev. H. T. Archbold conducting the committal service at the graveside.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

A good programme of games, contests and songs has been arranged for the social evening which the Victoria Women's Institute will hold in its rooms to-morrow evening.

The regular dance of the Victoria Police Mutual Benefit Association will take place this evening at the Fisgard Street Headquarters. Dancing will continue from 8.30 p.m. until 11.30 p.m.

An international fair is to be held in Helsingfors, Finland on July 1 to 6. Canadians are invited to exhibit products for which they expect a market) in Finland. The address of the office of the fair is: Suomen Messujen Toimisto, Ratakatu 1, Helsingfors, Finland.

At the meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Provincial Jubilee Hospital, bills amounting to $395.13 weer ordered paid. Mrs. Hermann Robertson reported one new member and the collection of $12 in dues. The auxiliary voiced its grateful thanks to all who had contributed to the success of the formal opening of the hospital.

Sale of beer by the glass in Esquimalt started on Saturday. There has been a noticeable increase of traffice on the roads, says the Esquimalt police, and already it has been found necessary to take some action in respect to Signal Hill, where a sharp drop in the road proved too much for many drivers unacquainted with Esquimalt roads. A sign may be placed at this point, it is understood.

Mrs. S. Maclure, president of the Ladies' Musical Club, will give an address on the "Charm of Music" at the Y.W.C.A. on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Maclure's address will be illustrated throughout by vocal and instrumental numbers, and Mrs. Percy James and Arthur Gore will be among those assisting. The lecture will be the last of the series arranged in connection with the Charm School in aid of the "Y" funds.

The question of sewer connection for Summer camps and other temporary dwelling will be broached at the regular meeting of the Esquimalt Council this evening. The council last week decided to send out notices to many who would be affected by any decision to enforce more strictly the sewer regulations, and the sheaf of replies received to these communications will be dealt with this evening.

The result of the voting on church union in the local Chinese Presbyterian Church was made known at the close of the service on Sunday night. The Chinese members were practically unanimous in remaining Presbyterian, one vote being registered for union, while thirty voted against. The Chinese passed a resolution indicating their desire to be allied with the Presbyterian Church, and appointed their minister and one of the elders as representatives on the provisional presbytery of Victoria.

A programme has been arranged by A. Prescott, the conductor of the Capitol orchestra, for music lovers' night to-night, which will contain many new and novel features, especially the numbers to be played during the showing of the feature film "As Man Desires." Some of the numbers to be rendered during the evening are as follows: Overture, "Zampa," Herold; selection, "No, No, Nanette," Youmans; intermezzo, "Pleading," Wood; valse, "Tales From Vienna Woods," Strauss; song, "My Love to You," Ancliff.

At a meeting of the Cariboo Diocesan tive, Bishop DePencier presiding, attended by Archdeacon Pugh of Lytton and the Rev. Leigh, Akehurst, Thompson and Messrs. H. L. Morley, A. A. Thompson, D W. Rowlands and F Temple Cornwall, routine business was transacted. It was decided to hold the adjourned nominating synod for the election of the Bishop of Cariboo on Thursday, May 14. The name of the Rev. H. T. Archbold of Victoria is before the executive.

City Clerk Bradley this morning received official notification, from the Provincial Board of Health, of special regulations requiring vaccination o all citizens of British Columbia. The lack of such a notification was commented upon by Alderman Woodward last Friday afternoon, when the City Council, as a board of health, was considering means of compliance with the regulations, at that time not officially brought to the attention of the council.

HEARTILY COMMENDS LENT MYSTERY PLAY

Dean Quainton Refers to a "Mirror of Souls" to be Given Wednesday

In yesterday's issue of "The Cathedral Leaflet," Very Rev. Dean Quainton made the following reference to the Lent Mystery Play to be given in Victoria this week:

"The Dean desires to commend heartily the Mystery Play, 'A Mirror for Souls,' to be performed on Wednesday evening in the Memorial Hall at 8 o'clock. It is not too much to say that the church is the mother of the modern drama, and despite Puritanic aversion to it, we adhere to the church tradition and believe that the drama has a legitimate place in human life, may be an instrument of education, an interpretation of life and the handmaid of religion. Who is not the better for seeing 'Eager Heart,' 'Everyman,' 'The Passing of the Third Floor Back,' the Oberammergau Passion Play, and 'St. Joan?' It is not generally known that mystery plays (Bible scenes, etc.) Miracle plays (stories of the saints) and Morality plays (allegories) were performed in the churches in the Middle Ages, and that the playwriters were clergy. They became abused and therefore fell into disrepute, but they can be rescued from this, and made (because in Bunyan's metaphor, they appeal to Eyegate of Mansoul, as well as to Eargate) to bring the truths of Christianity home to the human heart. 'A Mirror for Soults' is in the direct line of this tradition."

Fourteen characters, including four young children, take part in the play. The choral music of the play will be rendered by a "hidden choir," under the direction of Harold Davis. Instrumental music between the scenes will be provided by Miss Gladys Shrapnel and Miss Dorothy Francis.

Tickets for the play may be obtained at Fletcher Bros.' music store, Litchfield's, Ltd., and at the Memorial Hall. The financial proceeds will be given to the Memorial Hall furnishing fund.

JUDGES SELECT CARNIVAL TITLE

Valuable Suggestions by School Children Will be Examined

Selection of the official permanent name of the Midsummer Carnival will be made this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The judges will have before them a large number of selections, submitted by the school children of Victoria district in the competition which closed on Saturday evening.

Among the titles suggested are many of high merit, according to Secretary W. C. Winkel, and the task of selection will be no easy matter.

The judges are Chairman George Jay, of the City School Board; Charles S. Swayne, of The Daily Colonist, and B. C. Nicholls, of The Daily Times.

KIWANIS MINSTRELS WILL PARADE IN CITY ON SATURDAY

On Saturday, April 4, the Kiwanis minstrels and members of the Kiwanis Club will be on parade. The route to be followed will embrace the downtown business section. The entire troupe will appear in full costume and the members of the club who are not in the troupe will wear straw hats and carry canes. The parade, which will be headed by the Gizeh Temple Shrine band, will leave the Royal Victoria Theatre at 2 o'clock and it is expected that a large turnout of citizens will be out to greet them.

It is expected that every member of the Kiwanis Club participate in the parade, which is being held as a preliminary to the minstrel show on the following Monday and Tuesday.

LOVELY BLOOMS AT SAANICH SHOW

South Saanich W.I. Hostesses at Successful Affair Saturday

A daffodil show and birthday tea was held by South Saanich Women's Institute at Keating Hall on Saturday afternoon. Although the season is early for flowers, the showing was very creditable and more than seventy entries were made. Mrs. A. L. Gordon of Victoria opened the show, and complimented the members on the display of flowers and also the decorations of the hall and tea room, which was carried out in daffodils and plum blossoms. Mr. George Robinson of Elk Lake judged the blooms and placed the following awards:

Single daffodils, large trumpet—1, Mrs. Tanner; 2, Mrs. McKenzie.

Short cup—1, Miss Iola Laurie; 2, Mrs. McKenzie.

Any other kind—Mrs. Amey.

Largest—Mrs. Tanner.

Double daffodils, yellow — 1, Mrs. Michell; 2, Mrs. Hafer.

Orange and cream—1, Mrs. Michell; 2, Miss Iola Laurie.

Double trumpet—1, Mrs. J. J. Young; 2, Mrs. Michell.

Largest—1, Mrs. Michell; 2, Mrs. Hafer.

Hyacinths, white—1, Mrs. Michell; 2, Mrs. McKenzie.

Blue—1, Mrs. Tanner; 2, Mrs. Michell.

Pink—1, Mrs. McKenzie; 2, Mrs. Tanner.

Red—Mrs. Amey.

Violets—Miss Iola Laurie.

Scilla Siberica—Mrs. Hafer.

Arabis — 1, Mrs. McKenzie; 2, Mrs. Michell.

Primroses—Mrs. McKenzie.

Wall flowers — 1, Mrs. Michell; 2, Mrs. McKenzie.

Grape Hyachinth—1, Mrs. Hafer; 2, Mrs. McKenzie.

Doronicum—Mrs. Nimmo.

Polyanthus—Mrs. J. J. Young.

Table bouquet—1, Mrs. McKenzie; 2, Mrs. Emerson.

CHILDREN'S SECTION

Best bowl, wild lilies:

Division One—1, Osmond Sherring; 2, Fred Handy.

Division Two—1, Dennis Styan; 2, Roy Cuthbert.

Special—Ian McWatters.

Best bouquet, mixed wild flowers—1, Vincent Butler; 2, Morris Kersey.

Tea was served during the afternoon, the girls of the junior institute assisting, and military 500 was played in the evening, seventeen tables being occupied. Those successful in winning first prize were Miss Russell, Miss I. Laurie, Mr. W. Bate, Mr. S. Bate. The second prizes were won by Mrs. McKenzie, Miss P. Gale, Mr. Sherring and G. Michell. The high bid went to Mr. W. D. Michell and Mr. W. McNally, after cutting with three other couples. Dancing brought the successful show to a close.

URGE COMPLIANCE ON VACCINATION

Best For Puget Sound Country If Vancouver Submits

"The action of the United States medical authorities in erecting a barrier against the entry of unvaccinated tourists from Vancouver is doing harm to the whole Puget Sound country," said Publicity Commissioner George I. Warren to-day after attending a conference in Vancouver with Harold Crary, Publicity Director of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce; Reginald Davidson, Publicity Director, Vancouver Chamber of Commerce; Dr. H. E. Young, Provincial Medical Health Officer; Dr. Underhill, Vancouver Medical Health Officer, and Alderman Worthington, chairman of the Vancouver City Health Committee.

"We came to the conclusion that the only way to secure an early lifting of the ban is for the residents of Vancouver to comply with the Provincial regulations," said Mr. Warren.

Instances of how the Puget Sound had suffered were quoted, and it was declared that some tourists who had planned to visit the Pacific Northwest at this time of the year had changed their programme. Every hope was expressed that in view of the few cases of smallpox on the Mainland the ban would soon be lifted.

SOOKE WATER COMES THROUGH WITH SMALL LOSS

City Will Spend $2,000 on Extension of Joint System

Preparations will shortly be commenced by City Engineer Preston for continuance of the yearly extension of the flexible joint system of the Sooke Lake flowline to Humpback Reservoir.

Two hundred joints will be placed at the worst locations of leakage this year, the cost being estimated at about $2,000. One gang of three expert workmen will be required, and the work will occupy several weeks to complete.

The water leakage during the past Winter has been notably less than in past years, due to great savings of water resulting from the expansion joints installed in the past few years. At the time of the coldest snap of the year the loss was about forty per cent of the intake when contraction of the concrete flow pipe opened joints extensively, this being a remarkable contract to the conditions existing a few years ago, when losses rose above eighty-five per cent of the water put into the main at Sooke.

One of the remarkable results of the expansion joint installation of past years has been the conversion of the persistent complaints of farmers along the route of the flow line. In years such as 1920 constant complaint was made that the Sooke flowline was flooding the land and making swamps of good farm territory. To-day the farmers are finding difficulty in securing enough water to satisfy their stock, the Winter season leakage being nominal save at periods of extreme low temperature, and the Summer leakage almost negligible.

WOOLWORTH ACTION ENTERS FIFTH DAY

In Action Over Sale by Vernon Estate; Many Appear as Counsel

Woolworth vs. Pooley and others entered its fifth day of hearing before Mr. Justice Murphy in Supreme Court to-day. Walter Luney, called by the defence, testified that his firm had completed contracts for the alteration, repair, and addition to the present store site of the plaintiff firm totaling $57,000. There were, he said, other contracts carried out, but not by his firm.

Mr. Genn, a former witness for the defence, was recalled to testify as to the rental value of the property. The building, he estimated gave its present owners a return of 6.40 per cent. per annum on the basis of an investment of $140,000 for the property, and $75,000 for the alterations. This was on the assumption that the space occupied by the plaintiff firm for its own use was valued at $1,200 per month; and depreciation at the rate of 2½ per cent. or $5,000 per annum, he said.

John R. Green, counsel for the F. W. Woolworth Company, in cross examination, asked witness what would be the return if the alterations had cost $130,337 instead of $75,000 It would be 4.8 per cent. per annum said witness. Witness told of other items in the assessment of the building and what it would produce. Taxes he said were $6,337 in 1923, and the block was worth $100,000 as it stood to-day, in his estimation.

Hearing continues with Harold B. Robertson, K.C., C. W. Craig, K.C., E. L. Tait, G. K. Davis and others for the defendants and John R. Green for plaintiff firm. The action is one for recision of the sale of the northwest corner of Douglas and View Streets by the Vernon Estate to plaintiffs in the sum of $140,000.

ALDERMEN HEAR DUTY'S STERN CALL

Will Discuss Estimates at City Hall; Cares of Office Real Burden To-night

"We have simply got to close our estimates to-night, so there will be no hockey for the City Council this time," said Mayor Carl Pendray this morning. "It is a case of duty before pleasure, I certainly would like to be at the Arena to cheer our boys to victory, but we have been over long with these estimates already."

Appropriations for continued operations at Elk Lake will be the most important item to be decided this evening, though the radio fans of Victoria, estimated at many thousands, will be interested in the advice of E. J. Haughton that the City Council has no power to make such cash grants as was offered Station CFCT last Friday.

President Harold Grant of the Victoria Radio Club has written asking the Council to proceed warily before granting aid to any radio station. He also asks serious consideration for the opinions of City Electrician M. Hutchison on the proposed grounding of electric power lines to the city's watermains.

City Land Commissioner Cameron will report three sales for confirmation by the council, and will present a list of reverted lands which have been recently priced.

Gyros Told How To Speak in Public

"Begin low, talk slow, rise higher, take fire and sit down in a storm."

That was the advice given to any members of the Gyro Club who have ambition to become orators by J. B. Warnicker. He spoke at the regular luncheon of the Gyro Club to-day on "The Art of Public Speaking."

"Public speaking means much to any man," declared Mr. Warnicker. "It is the passport to every position that Canada has to offer."

He referred particularly to mannerisms and advised Gyros to refrain from using the "teapot" and "pump-handle" gestures.

"Put your emphasis in the right place and be natural," was another of his axioms.

LATEST IN PASSENGER CARS—Coaches like the above will be operated this Spring by the Toronto Transportation Commission at a fare of ten cents—no transfer. The bodies will be built in the T.T.C. shops on an imported six-cylinder chassis. The experiment of excess-fare coaches has been tried with some success in American cities. The Toronto type will have pneumatic tires, four-wheel air brakes and disc wheels. Entrance and exit will be by the front door.

WAR HERO—The first of the aged taxicabs that helped rush troops from Paris to the Marne in 1914 arrived recently at New York on SS. Rochambeau anad is received with "military honors," detachments of marines and infantry being sent to welcome the mechanical hero. The machine is to be placed in a museum.

OBITUARY

The death took place Saturday morning at 223 Wilson Street of Lois Kirkwood, eight-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Kirkwood. The funeral, which will be private, will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. F. L. Stephenson will officiate and the remains will be laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

There passed away on Saturday morning at Wilson Street, Baby Lois, eight-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Kirkwood, residing at Seattle. The remains are resting at the Sands Funeral Chapel and the funeral announcement will be published later.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Laura Alma Keith, who passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital last Friday morning took place Saturday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. W. H. Redman officiated and the remains were laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park. The late Mrs. Keith is survived by her husband and five daughters. The only son was killed in the Great War. She was born in Ontario sixty years ago and hild resided at 3225 Alder Street for the past four years and a half.

The funeral of the late Mr. Thomas Miller Baird took place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, proceeding to St. Andrew's Church, where service was conducted by Rev. Dr. Clay. There was a large attendance of friends and many beautiful floral designs covered the casket and hearse. The hymns sung were "Lead, Kindly Light," and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." The following acted as pall-bearers: Messrs. F. W. Davey, A. W. McVittie, W. Dee, J. Morrison, W. McDonald and G. McCandless. The remains were laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay cemetery.

There passed away last Thursday evening Mrs. Emilie Elliott, aged seventy-seven years, a native of Ontario and a resident of this city for the past three years. She leaves to mourn her loss her son, Mr. C. C. Elliott. The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, and will be forwarded on to-morrow afternoon's boat at 2.15 en route to Pictou, Nova Scotia, where interment will take place.

The death occurred last Saturday morning of Lee Wing Sun, aged fifty-six years. He was a native of Canton, China, and had been a resident of this city for the past twenty-five years. The remains are reposing at the Thomson Funeral Home, from where the funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Chinese Cemetery.

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Canadiens Expect To Win To-night's Battle

Think They Will Be Able to Force Series to Fifth Game; Cougars, Although Little Tired, Hopeful of Outcome; Frenchmen Came Near Losing Coutu, Who Has Been in Hospital Over Week-end With Blood-poisoning in His Leg; Game Will Start at 8.30 o'Clock.

Victoria hockey fans—at least as many of them as can be accommodated inside the Arena—will to-night get a peek at how hockey is played under Eastern rules. The first game under these conditions was played in Vancouver last Monday night.

According to the Eastern code the puck may only be passed forward or kicked inside the centre ice section. An act of either kind in the end section will call for the whistle. Players cannot be substituted until the whistle is blown for a breach of the rules. There is no penalty shot and no deferred penalty. The referee can put the whole team off if the occasion warrants it, and a team can keep all of its players inside the blue line.

Both teams will be at top strength. Canadiens thought they might have to get along without their star defence man, Billie Coutu, who has been in hospital over the week-end with blood-poisoning and a bad knee, but he came out of that institution this morning, and said he would play. This will be a big relief for the Frenchmen. He may not be able to go the full distance, but should be a big asset as long as he is on the ice.

The Cougars are all in fairly good condition, although some of them are beginning to show signs of the hard campaign. They hope to be able to polish off the series to-night if possible, but realize that Canadiens now have their tails up, and intend to stop at nothing.

CANADIENS EXPECT TO WIN

Manager Dandurand looks for a victory. He thinks the Frenchmen will go better than ever to-night, being favored with their own rules. Outside of Coutu all the players enjoyed a quiet time over the week-end and have recovered from all the bumps they received in Friday's game. They had a light work-out at the Aerna on Saturday night.

Unless Victoria wins the series will be carried to the fifth game, which will be played on Wednesday night. Canadiens intend to force it to that point, and figure on picking off the winner's end of the purse. A win for the Frenchmen will leave both clubs with two wins apiece. Victoria won the first two and Canadiens upset the wise ones by taking the third.

Leo Dandurand and his Canadiens had a great time on Saturday afternoon. They went to a soccer game for the first time in their lives. It was final for the championship of Victoria between the United Services and Esquimalt, and they happened to get there in time for the big squabble which arose out of the scoring of a goal. Without waiting for an invitation the Canadiens rushed across the field and wanted to find out what it was all about. They got into the mix-up, but outside of listening to a lot of arguing they suffered no injuries.

"Ghee, that's sure some game," commented Dandurand. "Never saw it before, but believe me I'm going to see the soccer game in Montreal after this. We saw a lot of fine play and enjoyed the argument. These fellows do call one another some nice names, don't they?"

The Canadiens returned to their lodgings at the Empress Hotel in high spirits, but they were soon worried blue in the face for Billie Coutu told Dandurand that he must see a doctor.

"The old foot again," said Coutu.

OFF TO HOSPITAL

A doctor was call and Coutu was immediately ordered to the hospital with a bad attack of blood poisoning. In the last game with Hamilton Coutu was out over the ankle, and while it was given attention at the time, it was neglected later. On the train journey doctors were called at Winnipeg and Medicine Hat to look at the wound, and on arrival here it was again examined, but declared to be all right.

In Friday night's game Coutu collided with Vezina in stopping Meeking when close in on the net, and the defence man fell heavily on his knee. He had to leave the game for a time. This apparently aggravated the injury and blood poisoning set in. When the doctor was called on Saturday the poisoning had run up to Coutu's thigh.

Electrical treatment was given and the doctor told Dandurand that he might have Coutu ready for to-night's game.

President E. L. Richardson of the W.C.H.L. will release the players' shares in the world's series from Calgary. The players, who figured in the first three games only, will be notified of their end very soon. It is expected that the winners will get between $300 and $400.

Cumberland Soccer Team Wins Shield From Nanaimo Vets

Nanaimo, March 30.—The Cumberland football eleven won the Davenport Shield on Saturday afternoon, when they defeated the Nanaimo Veteran football team by the score of two goals to nil. Cumberland scored their first goal four minutes after the start of the match, and a few minutes before the final whistle registered their second counter. After the match the shield was presented to Capt. Conti by President T. B. Booth of Nanaimo City team. Over 1,000 fans attended the match.

Joe McGinnity, the famous iron man, is coming back to pitch again this year. . . . . Joe is coming back for more iron men.

RUMPUS OVER B.C. TITLE HOOP GAME AT REVELSTOKE

Revelstoke, B.C., March 30—St. Andrew's Crusaders, of Vancouver, and Revelstoke, Y.M.C.A., played to a draw here Saturday evening in a game to decide the intermediate "B" basketball championship of British Columbia. Both teams were evenly matched and the game was fast from beginning to end. Toward the end of the game "Time out" was called by a Revelstoke player when the Vancouver team had possession of the ball. Revelstoke was penalized but Vancouver failed to score on the free shot.

After the whistle had blown for the penalty Vancouver scored, but the goal was disallowed on the grounds that the ball was dead at the time. The manager of the Crusaders claimed that the goal should be allowed and refused to allow his team to play off the tie. Considerable argument developed between spectators and team representatives.

Referee McBride, of Vancouver, declared the game to be a tie with the question of the disputed goal to be settled by the B.C. Basketball executive. The score was 30-30.

Services Fifteen Draw With Bays In Cowichan Cup Game

Teams Battled to Scoreless Draw at Duncan Saturday Afternoon

Duncan, March 30.—In a bitterly fought game the United Services and J.B.A.A. rugby fifteens played to a scoreless draw here on Saturday afternoon in what was to have been the final match for the Cowichan trophy, emblematic of the Vancouver Island senior rugby championship. The game was a thriller from start to finish, with both teams missing several chances to score. The Bays had an edge on the play in both halves, but the Services' back division made a number of sparkling plays and kept their line clear.

The result came as a great surprise to rugby followers as the Bays were favored to win. The Services showed a marked improvement over their last appearance, especially in their back division. On several occasions the Bays looked like going over but they were held at bay and the final whistle blew with the Bays pressing.

The Bays have won this trophy ever since it was put up for competition. This year they won the Barnard Cup, emblematic of the championship of Victoria, and the Rounsfel Cup, emblematic of the club championship of British Columbia. They defeated the Vancouver Rowing Club for this title.

The replay of Saturday's game will take place next Saturday afternoon at the Willows grounds, when the teams will attempt to decide a winner.

TORONTO WEST END WINS

Windsor, March 30.—The Toronto West End "Y" defeated the Windsor Omars Saturday night 38-21 in the first of the home and home series to decide the senior basketball championship of Ontario.

English Auto Racer Shatters Two Marks For Fast Traveling

Paris, March 30.—What are declared to be new records for five miles and for five and ten kilometres (respectively 3.11 and 6.21 miles) were made on Montlhery Speedway to-day by the English auto driver, Eldridge. Eldridge drove the five kilometres in 1 minute 26 57-100 seconds, the five miles in 3 Minutes 40-100 seconds and the ten kilometres in 2 minutes 54 45-100 seconds. All the times exceeded an average of 128 miles an hour.

Baseball Fans Line Up in Detroit For First Game of Year

Detroit, March 30.—Several hundred baseball enthusiasts, including women, gathered at Navin Field soon after midnight to await the opening of the first ticket sales for the opening game, April 14.

Outlaws Defeated Chemainus in "Y" Hoop Tournament

Up-islanders Put up Great Fight; Final Score 29-27; Two Other Games

For the first time since the tournament started the First Presbyterian senior men's basketball team will not play in the final game of the Y.M.C.A. City and District basketball series. On Saturday night at the "Y" gymnasium they were defeated by the James Bay Methodists by a score of 26-25.

The game between the C.P.R. ladies and Spencers proved an easy victory for the railway representatives by a score of 18-5.

The game between the James Bay Outlaws and Chemainus was one of the fastest seen in the city for some time, the Outlaws winning by the score of 29-27. The games were witnessed by a fair crowd of fans.

The game between the First Presbyterian senior men's and the James Bay Methodists was very close and fast all the way. Dunn, the fast forward for the James Bay, scored the first goal on a close in shot, and in quick time Paterson scored a long one. Then the Firsts hit their stride and Foubister scored for his team.

The teams played hard and showed some fine form. The game was handled by L. Bickle of Chemainus.

The game between the C.P.R. and Spencers was won easily by the railway team, which played a fast game and displayed fine combination. The game got under way when the C.P.R. team scored, Jennie Wilson being responsible. Then Spencers began to work hard and keep their checks. In the first half Spencers scored all their points, while the C.P.R. scored 14. In the second half the Spencers began to fall down and the C.P.R. team peppered in shots from all angles of the floor. Bert Bailey handled the whistle.

A FAST GAME

The fastest game of the evening was between Chemainus and the crack James Bay Outlaws. Howe scored the first basket for the up-Islanders in less than four minutes, and in quick time he repeated the trick. This made the Outlaws very keen to score and Jimmy Wachter scored on a running shot. A. Howe played a fine game and scored one more basket, and Wachter of the Outlaws scored another on a pass from Vernot Jones. The score at half time was 16-13 in Chemainus' favor. In the second half Brindley of the locals scored on a long shot. Wachter, Jones and Brindley worked like machines for James Bay, and brought the Outlaws through successfully. Alex Main handled the whistle. The scorers for the teams were as follows:

James Bay—Dun 12, Paterson 6, Butler 8, Lupton, Davey 5, Hunter 2.

First Presbyterians—Mitchell 2, J. Foubister 12, Nachtrieb 4, Hudson 2, Streeter 4, D. Foubister 2, Bickell.

Spencers—M. Agnis 2, J. Smith 4, M. Mills, M. Stewart, M. Dingwell.

C.P.R.—M. Motion 7, J. Wilson 6, D. Jossi M. Wilson 2, S. Bettel, K. Freestone.

James Bay Outlaws—Watchter 15, Brindley 8, Jones 5, Dunn, Passmore, Moore.

Chemainus—Howe 2, McBride 2, A. Howe 15, Wyllie 6, Bickle 2, D. McBride.

Atherstone Wins Coffroth Handicap On a Muddy Track

Defeated General Thatcher By a Head in Great Race For $60,000 Purse

San Diego, Cal., March 30.—The Coffroth Handicap, run over a mile and a quarter of sloppy track at the Tia Juana course yesterday, was won by Atherstone, owned by Mrs. V. V. Vivadou.

General Thatcher was second, Spic and Span third and Phusla fourth.

The winner's time was 2.07 2-5, Atherstone's winning price in the mutuels was $17.50, place $12 and show $6.40.

General Thatcher paid $11.60 place, $5.80 show, while the show price for Spic and Span was $3.40.

Atherstone won by a head over General Thatcher, who was a length in front of Spic and Span at the wire.

The purse of the handicap was $60,000, the righest Winter stake in America.

Wakoff, the jockey, who had a leg up on the winner, received a $10,000 bungalow as well as a young fortune from the victorious owner.

VARSITY GIRLS BEST

Toronto, March 30.—By holding Ottawa Alerts to a 1-1 draw here Saturday after defeating them 4-1 at Ottawa on March 1, Varsity girls' hockey team won the Ladies' Ontario Hockey Association championship on the round 5-2. In winning, the Varsity girls carried off their third championship of the season, the others being the City and Inter-collegiate.

Esquimalt Eleven Win Jackson Cup In Hectic Battle

Deciding Game For City Title Featured by Arguments; Final Score Was 2-1

Services Will Protest; Losers Scored Tying Goal But Referee Disallowed it

Esquimalt will represent Victoria in the Province Cup series for the British Columbia senior football championship as a result of their 2-1 victory over the United Services on Saturday afternoon in the final game for the Jackson Cup, emblematic of the city title. The game was played at the Royal Athletic Park before one of the largest crowds of the season. It was of real cup-tie calibre, there being very little good football on account of the keen rivalry between the teams. The spectators were at fever heat during the whole of the match, and at one time were all out on the playing grounds and the match was stopped for about ten minutes.

Only a few minutes of the game had elapsed before the players began to show their feelings in foul charges and the referee was kept busy handing out free kicks. In the second half the most serious trouble took place. Esquimalt were awarded a penalty kick when Allen made a foul charge on Stewart, one of the Esquimalt forwards, when he was about to shoot. Esquimalt scored from the spot kick. Soon after this the Services scored the tying goal but Esquimalt protested on the grounds that Coulter, one of the Services' forwards, had been holding Nicol, the Esquimalt goalie, which prevented him from saving the shot. This started a lot of arguing and haggling with the spectators joining in. After consulting the linesmen Referee McMillan disallowed the goal and the game was started once more. From then on the Services played under protest.

SERVICES SCORE

Ten minutes after the game had started Coulter opened the scoring and put the Services in the lead. He took the ball from Joe Watt, one of the Esquimalt backs, after he had failed to clear, and drove a hard shot into the net. After the kick-off Esquimalt lodged several dangerous attacks but the Services' back division was sound and kept their goal clear. A bad accident occurred just before half-time when Hosmer of Esquimalt and Robinson of the Services collided. The game was stopped for a few minutes and Hosmer returned but Robinson stayed off until the start of the second half.

With only ten men on the field the Services were forced to fight with their backs to the wall. Esquimalt missed a great opportunity to tie up the score when Tommy Watt, Warren and Hay carried the ball down the field on a neat bit of combination play and broke through the Services' defence, but Weir, the goalie, came out to save and turned aside a fast shot from Watt.

SCORE ON PENALTY

At the start of the second half the Services tried hard to secure a better lead, and Cummings, on right wing, sent in some beautiful centres but the remainder of the forwards were slow in following up and the chances were slipped up. After a combined attack by the Services' forwards Esquimalt carried the ball to the other end of the field, and they broke through the Services' defence, but Allen fouled Stewart, and the Dockers were awarded a penalty kick. John Watt drove the leather into the net, the ball just grazing under the crossbar. This put new life into Esquimalt, and they attacked with renewed vigor. John Watt brought joy to the hearts of the Esquimalt supporters when he headed Hay's corner kick into the hemp.

The Services attacked the Esquimalt goal and after a neat bit of footwork by Cummings on the right wing he sent in a perfect centre which Ward headed into the net. After consulting the linesmen the referee disallowed the goal. This seemed to take all the life out of the Services and the final whistle blew with no further scoring.

McMillan refereed and the teams were as follows:

Esquimalt—Nicol, Watt, Mesher, Hosmer, Edwards, De Costa, Stewart, J hn Watt, Tommy Watt, Warren and Hay.

United Services — Weir, Whyte, Allen, Hawkes, Whiting, Robinson, Cummings, Spiers, Coulter, Ward and Coxier.

B.C. Bowlers Make Plans to Improve Game in Province

Vancouver, March 30.—A decision to request all clubs affiliated with the Association to run a competition to decide winners in the singles, doubles and a rink championship in the individual clubs, the winners of each to play off for the district or British championship, the winners of which will be eligible for the Dominion championships which are to be played in Eastern Canada, was decided at a meeting of the British Columbia Lawn Bowling Association last night. The action of the clubs is to be reported back to the association at the next meeting.

Another decision adopted was to the effect that in the competitions to be staged during the tournament week for the "champion of champions," all singles winners of clubs for the years 1923 and 1924 will be eligible.

This is necessitated by the fact that this competition was not played last year.

The B.C. championships will be staged during the week of July 20.

Cricketers to Hold Annual Meeting in C. of C. To-morrow

To-morrow night at 8 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce loungeroom, the annual meeting of the Victoria and District Cricket Association will be held. Officers for the year will be elected, arrangements made for the league schedule, and other important business transacted.

Victoria Golfers Defeat Uplands In All-day Team Match

Piled up 56½ Points to 23½; Match Was Played at Oak Bay Yesterday

Members of the Victoria Golf Club more than doubled the score on the Uplands Golf Club in their team match played yesterday at the Oak Bay links. In the singles in the morning the home club ran up a high total while in the foursomes in the afternoon Uplands made a better showing.

Victoria scored 35½ points to Uplands' 12½ in the singles, while in the foursomes Victoria scored 21 points to Uplands' 11. This gave Victoria the match by 56½ points to 23½.

The scores with the Upland players named first in each case were as follows:

SINGLES

G. V. Price, 2½; A. G. Beasley, ½.
J. Savident, 0; Harold Wilson, 3.
R. J. Darcus, 0; A. T. Goward, 3.
H. P. Hepburn, 0; J. S. Matterson, 3.
H. Collings, 0; Harold Haynes, 3.
A. M. D. Fairbairn, ½; J. E. Wilson, 2½.
G. Pretty, 3; J. A. Rithet, 0.
P. Edmonds, 1½; A. Musgrave, 1½.
C. Morrison, 0; W. Pemberton, 3.
R. Peachey, ½; Hew Paterson, 2½.
A. F. Thomas, ½; J. E. Dickson, 2½.
A. C. Falk, 1; H. P. Johnson 2.
W. H. M. Haldane, 0; Dick Moore, 3.
J. B. Uniacke, 2½; Dr. W. T. Barrett, ½.
R. Foulis, ½; T. O. Mackay, 2½.
D. A. Macdonald, 0; W. L. McIntosh, 3.

FOURSOMES

Price and Savident, 1; Beasley and Harold Wilson; 3.
Darcus and Hepburn, ½; Goward and Matterson, 2½.
Collings and Fairbairn, 3; Haynes and J. E. Wilson, 1.
Pretty and Edmonds, 0; Rithet and Musgrave, 4.
Morrison and Peachey, 2; Pemberton and Paterson, 2.
Thomas and Falk, ½; Dickson and King, 3½.
Haldane and Uniacke, ½; Moore and Barrett, 3½; Foulis and Macdonald, 3½; Mackay and McIntosh, ½.

Victoria Ladies Win Grass Hockey Match From Duncan Eleven

In a hard-fought game played on Saturday afternoon at the Oak Bay Park the Victoria ladies' grass hockey team defeated the Duncan eleven by a score of 2-1. The game was closely contested and the locals were forced to the limit to win.

Championship Will Be at Stake in City Hoop Games Tuesday

Three important league fixtures are scheduled for to-morrow night at the Willows. They will be as follows:

7.30 "C" Men—Gorge vs. Y.M.C.A.
8.20 "B" Ladies—James Bay vs. Spencer's.
9.00 "A" Men—Falcons vs. C.P.R.

In the first game the Y.M.C.A. will do their best to win from the Gorge quintette in order to stay in the running. Should they be successful a play-off with Spencer's would be necessary. On the other hand should the Gorge turn in a win Spencer's would be awarded the honors in their division.

Another very important game will take place between Spencer's ladies and the James Bays. Should Spencer's come out on the long end of the score they will make sure of the title in the "B" Ladies' League. Should the Bays upset the dope by winning, another game would be necessary between these two teams to decide the honors.

When the Falcons run up against the C.P.R. five in the last game of the evening they will also have an opportunity of walking off with the Men's "A" League championship. They will, however, have to be at their best as the C.P.R. have a number of the cities best players, and now that they must win or be eliminated, they will fight their hardest.

A big crowd is expected to be on hand to pull for their favorites.

ROLLER HOCKEY

The play-off games of the Victoria and District Roller Hockey League will be staged at the V.I.A.A. gymnasium, Victoria West, to-morrow night. The games will be played in three fifteen-minute periods. The first game will start at 7.30 o'clock. The games to be played are as follows: 110 pounds, Times Newsies vs. Paul Bay Monarchs; 135 pounds, Times Newsies vs. Colonist.

The games to be played on Wednesday night will be: Ninety pounds, V.I. Midgets vs. Foul Bay; unrestricted weights, Colonist vs. V.I. Sheiks.

Hocking's Baskets Keep Championship Of Province Here

First Presbyterian Senior Defeats Vancouver S.S. Champs in Thrilling Game

Mainlanders Led Most of Way; Fidelis Senior Girls Retain Their Laurels

Victoria opened the B.C. Sunday School basketball championship series with two fine wins on Saturday night, the Fidelis and First Presbyterians defeating the Vancouver teams, which opposed them. The games were played at the High School gymnasium and were witnessed by a big crowd. The scores were:

Senior Ladies, Fidelis, Victoria, 18; Canadian Memorial, Vancouver, 7.

Senior Men's—First Presbyterians, Victoria, 17; "Doo-Dads," Vancouver, 15.

The Fidelis Senior Girls retained the Spencer Cup and the B.C. title after a fast encounter.

Clara French, a former Victoria player, opened the scoring for Vancouver, the Memorial girls showing fine form. Isobel Crawford tied the score, but the advantage was short-lived, as Edith Abrams put the Mainlanders ahead a moment later with a nice shot. Isobel netted a free throw, bringing the Victoria girls only one point behind them when the half-time whistle blew.

The third period saw the Fidelis girls at their best. Isobel Crawford scored and Marjorie Breckenridge repeated shortly after. Boneta McMurchie, who played a remarkably fine game, scored the nicest shot of the game from a long distance out. With the score at 9-4 the Fidelis girls still pressed and Hilda Best came through with two baskets in succession, the period closing 13-4 for Victoria.

MEMORIALS SPEED UP

The Memorial girls came to life again in the final period and made things interesting. Bernice Butler starred for the visitors, scoring a fine basket and adding a free throw. Play was more even in this period, but the local girls maintained their lead when Isobel again found the net for two more baskets.

Alex. Main refereed and the teams were:

Fidelis—Hilda Best 4, Isobel Crawford 1 ,0Jeannette McQueen, Boneta McMurchie 2, M. Breckenridge 2.

Canadian Memorials—Bernice Butler 3, Clara French 2, C. Shannon, O. Walters, P. Delaney, Edith Abrams, Etta Hunter, E. Fraser.

EXCITING MEN'S GAME

The Senior Men's game was one of the most exciting seen here for many years. The "Doo-Dads" proved to be a good team and displayed better combination play than the local squad, but were unable to locate the baskets.

Thomson opened for the visitors with four points, Miller added a free throw and the score was 5-0 against Victoria. Whyte came through with his one long shot per game, scoring a beauty from away out. Miller made it 8-2 for Vancouver. Whyte scored one point and Joe Ross added another. "Bud" Hocking scored a basket and the score was 8-6.

Vancouver opened up and soon had the locals guessing. Warne and Thomson, after some pretty passing, netted four points, giving Vancouver a fine lead at half-time, the score being Vancouver 12, Victoria 6.

While Vancouver had the edge in the opening period, the First came back strong after the intermission. Joe Ross made several spectacular rushes, following in fast on the rebounds and was successful in tallying a basket.

"Bud" Hocking never played better in his life and was the big factor in Victoria's win. "Bud" netted a nice basket and followed with two nicely timed free throws, making the score 12-11, with Vancouver still leading.

"DOO-DADS" STEP OUT

The "Doo-Dads" rallied and Miller wrecked Victoria's hopes for a time with a dandy shot, increasing the Mainlanders' lead. Whyte missed two close ones, and Hocking also missed a chance to tighten up the game. Miller slipped through again and put "Doo-Dads" ahead, with the game almost over.

Sargison slipped up on a free throw, but registered a basket a moment later amid a great uproar from the galleries The crowd grew wildly enthusiastic when Hocking notched a hard shot from the corner, making the count fifteen all. During the uproar "Bob" Whyte failed to score on a close-in try with only one minute to play. "Bud" Hocking again performed the necessary by putting the First ahead for the only time during the whole game thirty seconds before time.

STOPPED MILLER

Miller came down like a cyclone and the spectators grew anxious as Jack McKenzie blocked his progress and collected a personal foul, Miller being awarded two free throws as the final whistl blew.

Miller came up in the role of a pinch-hitter with the bases full, but failed to deliver a hit. His first shot struck the side of the iron and rolled the wrong way. The crowd gave a sigh of relief, as it was now impossible for Vancouver to even up the score. Miller did not take his other shot, and the game was over.

First Presbyterians retain the Rithet Cup and the B.C. Sunday School league title for another year.

Tommy de Macedo refereed and the teams were:

First Presbyterians—Jack McKenzie, Bob Whyte 3, Bud Hocking 10, Joe Ross 2, Joe Streeter, Bill Hudson, Harry Sargison 2, Bill Nachtrieb.

"Doo-Dads" — A. Miller 10, G. Tillington, L. Thomson 3, C. Quadnig, B. Warne 2, J. Tillington, W. Clarke, E. Vanderhoof.

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Sheffield United Will Meet Cardiff In Final

Southampton Dogged by Hard Luck in Game With Sheffield, Who Got All the "Breaks"; Cardiff City Held Whip Hand and Blackburn Rovers Had Little Chance; Regular English League Fixtures Attracted Little Attention Saturday.

London, March 30 (By Canadian Press Cable).—Sixty-five thousand fans crowded the Stamford Bridge grounds of the Chelsea "pensioners" on Saturday and witnessed Sheffield United advance into the final stage of the English cup competition by defeating Southampton 2 to 0. At the same time, on the grounds of Notts County an enthusiastic crowd of Welshmen and Lancastrians saw Cardiff City swarm all over Blackburn Rovers and hang up a victory that takes them to Wembley by a score of 3 to 1.

At Stamford Bridge, Sheffield got all the breaks and Southampton were dogged by hard luck. This was particularly so, when, near the end of the first half with no score in sight, Parker, the Southampton right back, sent the ball in through his own goal, thus registering a score for Sheffield. An opportunity to equalize shortly after the resumption came to nothing when this same player, taking a free kick, landed the ball on Sutcliffe's knee, to bounce clear.

The game was keenly contested throughout.

Play started with Southampton attacking, Carr, taking the ball well down the field, but a free kick from a foul saw the ball transferred to the other wing where Henderson got possession. By a clever play, Gillespie obtained the ball and the Irish internationalist carried the game into Southampton's area where Allen had some work in clearing his net.

AN UNFORTUNATE KICK

Sheffield's first tally came four minutes from the interval when, in a scrum in front of Southampton's net, Parker kicked into his own goal. The period ended with Sheffield maintaining the pressure and with Allen desperately striving to ward off shots from the Blades' centre, Johnson.

The resumption saw the United playing with great confidence and Southampton putting up a game fight. The chance to make it one-all came five minutes from the start when Sheffield were penalized. Parker took the kick, but sent the ball straight at Sutcliffe and the goalkeeper bounced it clear. Play was continued with Sheffield swarming all over the second string club. Tunstall went off by himself. Allen dashed out of his net to try and save, but he failed to stop the brilliant winger and the ball found a safe resting place in an empty goal.

From then on it was Sheffield's game.

WELSHMEN SUPERIOR

Thirty-five thousand fans saw the hopes of the Rovers effectively quashed on Notts County's ground. The game belonged to the Welshmen from the start. From the kick-off the pace was sent by Cardiff, and they made it hot. Their left wing worked like a smoothly oiled machine, Davies and Beadles playing well up to Nicholson. Five minutes from the start a corner was forced against the Rovers and Nicholson curled a beauty that found its way past Sewell, under the bar.

The Welshman made it fast and furious and kept up their aggression. Blackburn's defence was weak and after a brilliant play, Gill, inside right for the Welshmen, defeated Sewell with a hot one. With two goals in hand, the City showed up brilliantly and they were all over the Rovers, while the thousands of madly cheering fans raised riot in the stands. The City were all out for the cup and nine minutes from the second goal Davies salted the game away, when he centred to Beadles who sent home a sizzler that Sewell did not even see.

REAR LINE FEEBLE

The opening of the second half saw Rovers playing somewhat more steady, but their rear line was feeble. Cardiff were well able to hold their own and their backs were invincible. Blackburn attacked and were rewarded twelve minutes from time by forcing a corner from which McKay, the inside left netted. Stimulated by this slight hope the Lancashire team began to put up a big fight, but their rally came too late.

Cardiff City now meet Sheffield United in the finals of the English cup to be played at Wembley on April 25.

London, March 30 (Canadan Press Cable)—Due to the semi-finals of the English cup, the Oxford-Cambridge boat race and other attractions on Saturday, league football was relegated to a back seat and the fact was signalized by remarkably low scoring.

Four scheduled fixtures were unplayed, due to the cup tournament, Huddersfield town and Notts County not meeting on account of the Cardiff-Blackburn game being played on the latter's field. West Bromwich, who had been down to meet Sheffield United, spent the afternoon in a "friendly" game with the amateur Corinthians, drawing 4-4.

The seven first string games left the league practically as it stood formerly, save that by drawing with Birmingham, Newcastle United were able to bracket themselves with the present leaders, Huddersfield Town. The game was hot and in the first half Birmingham had most of the play, but no score came in this period. The United were the first to score, when Harris lipped through the defence, but Birmingham equalized a few minutes later.

ENDED IN USUAL DRAW

London's football "Derby" between Westham and Tottenham Hotspurs ended in its usual draw. The spurs were much the best team and had most of the game. It was their weak finish that was to blame for their not bringing out a decisive result.

Preston North End held Bury to a draw and this was probably the best feature of Saturday's league football, but the North End are now totally without hope and they will probably go down to the second division along with Notts Forest.

Leeds United injected a ray of hope into the hearts of their supporters when they trimmed Liverpool, 4 to 0.

The Second Division games for league honors saw Leicester City once again jump over Derby County, regaining leadership by virtue of their higher goal average. Leicester defeated Hull City by a solitary counter, while the best that the County could do with Stockport County was a scoreless draw.

FAVORED TO MOVE

To present appearances, the two teams that will move into the first division are Derby County and Leicester City, with Manchester enjoying an outside chance.

At the bottom end of the table, Stoke obtained temporary release from the basement by handing out a 2 to 1 defeat to Portsmouth, while at the same time neither Barnsley nor Coventry City were able to improve.

Airdrieonians Are Well Settled For Scottish Honors

Win on Saturday Pushed Them Ahead of Hibernians; They Are Picked to Win

Rangers Dangerous But Are Poor Finishers; Comment on Other Games

Glasgow, March 30 (By Canadian Press Cable)—The Airdrieonians continued to maintain a lead over their nearest rivals, the Hibernians, on Saturday, when they turned in a five-goal victory over Motherwell. The leaders, with two games in hand over the Edinburgh club, and ahead of them in both points and scoring, appeared to be well settled for league honors. Their most dangerous opponents are the Rangers, but Rangers seem to be in the habit of finishing badly.

Their cup defeat last week by Celtic had its echo Saturday when, all they could do with Kilmarnock, was to divide the points in a scoreless draw.

Airdrieonians win over Motherwell was sweeping in character and three of their goals were obtained by McPhail.

While Rangers could not defeat Kilmarnock they nevertheless had the best of the game. The Ayrshire club's defence, however, was invincible.

HIBERNIANS FAILED

The Edinburgh Hibernians should have defeated Morton at Greenock, but they did not—which is the thing that counts. Two goals each were registered by the two teams.

Ayr United climbed out of the cellar to some advantage and stayed out, when on Saturday they took third Lanark into camp on the latter's field by an orphan goal.

Queen's Park are now reposing in the cellar, and their position there was certified on Saturday when Heart of Midlothian blanked them 3 to 0.

Celtic continued their comeback when they easily defeated Raith Rovers by a couple of goals.

POINTS BADLY NEEDED

Three much needed points were added to Falkirk's aggregate on Saturday when they emerged with a one-goal lead over St. Mirren. The final score was 2 to 1. The "Bairn" are in sore straits, their position being second from the bottom of the table, in company with Queen's Park.

Cowdenbeath put up a good display against Aberdeen and came out on the big end of a two to one score.

Rickard Fined

Newark, N.J., March 30.—George L. "Tex" Rickard, nationally known fight promoter, to-day was fined $7,000 by Federal Judge Bodine for conspiracy to violate the law regarding illegal transportation of prizefight films. Rickard and four co-defendants were convicted in federal court in Trenton on March 19 on the charge, which was brought in connection with transportation of the Dempsey-Carpentier fight films.

THE NEW SERIAL

"The Circular Staircase"

By

MARY ROBERTS RINEHART

CHAPTER I

This is the story of how a middle-aged spinster lost her mind, deserted her domestic goods in the city, took a furnished house for the Summer out of town, and found herself involved in one of those mysterious crimes that keep our newspapers and detective agencies happy and prosperous. For twenty years I had been perfectly comfortable; for twenty years I had had the window-boxes filled in the Spring, the carpets lifted, the awnings put up and the furniture covered with brown linen; for as many Summers I had said good-by to my friends, and, after watching their perspiring begira, had settled down to a delicious quiet in town, where the mail comes three times a day, and the water supply does not depend on a tank on the roof.

And then—the madness seized me. When I look back over the months I spent at Sunnyside, I wonder that I survived at all. As it is, I show the wear and tear of my harrowing experiences. I have turned very grey—Liddy reminded me of it, only yesterday, by saying that a little bluing in the rinse-water would make my hair silvery, instead of a yellowish white. I hate to be reminded of unpleasant things and I snapped her off.

"No," I said sharply. "I'm not going to use bluing at my time of life, or starch, either."

Liddy's nerves are gone, she says, since that awful Summer, but she has enough left, goodness knows! And when she begins to go around with a lump in her throat, all I have to do is to threaten to return to Sunnyside, and she is frightened into a semblance of cheerfulness—from which you may judge that the Summer there was anything but a success.

The newspaper accounts have been so garbled and incomplete—one of them mentioned me but once, and then only as the tenant at the time the thing happened—that I feel it my due to tell what I know. Mr. Jamieson, the detective, said himself he could never have done without me, although he gave me little enough credit, in print.

I shall have to go back several years—thirteen, to be exact—to start my story. At that time my brother died, leaving me his two children. Halsey was eleven then, and Gertrude was seven. All the responsibilities of maternity were thrust upon me suddenly; to perfect the profession of motherhood requires precisely as many years as the child has lived, like the man who started to carry the calf and ended by walking along with the bull on his shoulders. However, I did the best I could. When Gertrude got past the hair-ribbon age, and Halsey asked for a scarf-pin and put on long trousers—and a wonderful help that was to the darning!—I sent them away to good schools. After that, my responsibility was chiefly postal, with three months every Summer in which to replenish their wardrobes, look over their lists of acquaintances, and generally to take my foster-motherhood out of its nine months' retirement in camphor.

I missed the Summers with them when, somewhat later, at boarding-school and college, the children spent much of their vacations with friends. Gradually I found that my name signed to a check was even more welcome than when signed to a letter, though I wrote them at stated intervals. But when Halsey had finished his electrical course and Gertrude her boarding-school, and both came home to stay, things were suddenly changed. The Winter Gertrude came out was nothing but a succession of sitting up late at night to bring her home from things, taking her to the dressmakers between naps the next day, and discouraging ineligible youths with either more money than brains, or more brains than money. Also, I acquired a great many things; to say "lingerie" instead of dresses, and that beardless sophomores are not college boys, but college men. Halsey required less personal supervision, and as they both got their mother's fortune that Winter, my responsibility became purely moral. Halsey bought a car, of course, and I learned how to tie over my bonnet a gray baize veil, and, after a time, never to stop to look at the dogs one has run down. People are apt to be so unpleasant about their dogs.

The additions to my education made me a properly equipped maiden aunt, and by Spring I was quite tractable. So when Halsey suggested camping in the Adirondacks and Gertrude wanted Bar Harbor, we compromised on a good country house with links near, within motor distance of town and telephone distance of the doctor. That was how we went to Sunnyside.

We went out to inspect the property, and it seemed to deserve its name. Its cheerful appearance gave no indication whatever of anything out of the ordinary. Only one thing seemed unusual to me: the housekeeper, who had been left in charge, had moved from the house to the gardener's lodge, a few days before. As the lodge was far enough away from the house, it seemed to me that either fire or thieves could complete their work of destruction undisturbed. The property was an extensive one: the house on the top of a hill, which sloped away in great stretches of green lawn and clipped hedges, to the road; and across the valley, perhaps a couple of miles away, was the Greenwood Club House. Gertrude and Halsey were infatuated.

"Why, it's everything you want," Halsey said. "View, air, good water and good roads. As for the house, it's big enough for a hospital, if it has a Queen Anne front and a Mary Anne back," which was ridiculous; it was pure Elizabethan.

Of course we took the place; it was not my idea of comfort, being much too large and sufficiently isolated to make the servant question serious. But I give myself credit for this: whatever has happened since, I never blamed Halsey and Gertrude for taking me there. And another thing: if the series of catastrophes there did nothing else, it taught me one thing—that somehow, somewhere, from perhaps a half-civilized ancestor who wore a sheepskin garment and trailed his food or his prey, I have in me the instinct of the chase. Were I a man I should be a trapper of criminals, trailing them as relentlessly as no doubt my sheepskin ancestor did his wild boar. But being an unmarried woman, with the handicap of my sex, my first acquaintance with crime will probably be my last. Indeed, it came near enough to being my last acquaintance with anything.

The property was owned by Paul Armstrong, the president of the Traders' Bank, who at the time we took the house was in the West with his wife and daughter, and a Doctor Walker, the Armstrong family physician. Halsey knew Louise Armstrong—had been rather attentive to her the Winter before, but as Halsey was always attentive to somebody, I had not thought of it seriously, although she was a charming girl. I knew of Mr. Armstrong only through his connection with the bank, where the children's money was largely invested, and through an ugly story about the son, Arnold Armstrong, who was reported to have forged his father's name, for a considerable amount, to some bank paper. However, the story had had no interest for me.

To be continued

TOURIST TRAVEL STARTING EARLY, RAILROADS REPORT; 126 CONVENTIONS COMING

Seattle, March 30.—Assurances that the 1925 Summer tourist season will not only bring unusually large numbers to the Pacific Northwest, but that travel will begin earlier than has been the rule for the last two or three seasons, are given in advices received by railroad officials here and by those interested in travel generally, the Chamber of Commerce announced.

Passenger traffic officials of the transcontinental railroads terminating in Chicago are preparing estimates of the equipment which will be required to handle the westbound movement which will begin May 15, when the Summer round trip excursion rates go into effect. These will be on sale daily until September 30, with the return limit October 31.

Railroad men very frankly state that there is a scramble for equipment to care for the business which is coming to the Pacific Northwest in July.

Never before in the history of the coast have there been so many conventions on this slope as are booked for this Summer. A total of 126 national organizations will hold their annual gatherings up and down the Pacific coast, from San Diego to Victoria. Of this number thirty-eight are to be held in Seattle.

Conditions for heavy travel to the Pacific coast this year are favorable in addition to the convention movement, Chamber of Commerce officials pointed out. Last year there were five major drawbacks working against a record movement. They were: the regular pre-election quietness, which is always respected in travel; the great exposition in England and the cut rates on the Atlantic which made it a "See Europe this year" movement; the coolest Summer in the Middle West for fifteen years, a factor which kept people from coming to the cool Pacific Northwest, just like mild Winters keep down the travel to California and Florida; the poor conditions prevailing in the agricultural sections of the Middle West; and lastly, the foot-and-mouth epidemic scare in California, which was interpreted in the East as affecting the entire coast.

THOUSANDS COMING TO COAST

This year none of these drawbacks are in sight. Farming communities have had a better year and Eastern railroad offices indicate that the small town merchants and those in business generally in the Middle West are going to resume vacations which were suspended last year. The rate war on the Atlantic is a thing of the past and the urge for European travel is not as strong. The foot-and-mouth disease scare is a thing of the past on the Pacific coast. Unless there is an exceptional turn in the cycle of heat waves the Middle West and East receive each Summer, the cool season of 1924 will not be duplicated, and people in those sections will again seek the relief of the Pacific Northwest when hot Summer days come.

Although the first West-bound tourists will leave the East May 15, when the first tickets are sold, the real movement will not begin until about June 4. Bookings already made indicate that West-bound trains will have heavy traffic by June 10, and that by June 15, when Glacier, Yellowstone, Rainier and other Western parks are opened, the travel will be heavier.

The convention season in Seattle gets into full swing June 24, when several thousand of the nation's leading bankers, manufacturers, jobbers, wholesalers, shipping and railroad men will gather here for the National Foreign Trade Convention.

BIG PROBLEM FOR RAILROADS

Railroad men said yesterday that the problem of transporting the great crowds to the Pacific coast in July is one which is bound to tax the equipment of all the carriers. The Knights Templar conclave, with its 100,000 visitors in Seattle, the Shrine, the Elks, the Odd Fellows, Christian Endeavorers of the world and numerous other great organizations will all gather on the Pacific coast in July, establishing a new record for group travel. It was reported in railroad circles yesterday that two of the transcontinental railroads have been forced to refuse certain special train parties which could rave been recruited for travel to the Pacific Northwest during July, due to the heavy demands made for equipment for convention purposes.

With travel now assured, the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, the Hotel Men's Association and other interested organizations are centering their efforts on caring for the travelers upon their arrival and on a new plan to keep the tourists here longer. In an effort to familiarize coupon tickets, agents of the United States with the desirability of routing tourists so that they spend more than one day here, every coupon agent in the United States will shortly receive from the Chamber of Commerce a new illustrated booklet entitled, "How to Spend Ten Days In and Around Seattle." This booklet specifically points out ten trips which the traveler should enjoy before leaving the Puget Sound country.

VICTORIA JOINS IN CAMPAIGN

In addition to the heavy Eastern travel there is every assurance that the number of visitors from California to the Puget Sound country will be substantially increased over that of last year. Due to the regualtions enforced at the Washington line last Summer because of the foot-and-mouth disease in California, thousands of visitors hesitated about coming into this state, and many actually turned back at the Vancouver bridge because of the regulations. This year Puget Sound & British Columbia, Associated, a group representative of the Chambers of Commerce of Vancouver, Victoria, Bellingham, Tacoma and Seattle, whose Chamber of Commerce contributes approximately half of the total fund, are spending $34,000 in California newspapers, urging people of the Golden Gate State to come here for their vacations. That this series of displays is productive is shown by the inquiries and advance bookings already reported by the Admiral Line and by the Southern Pacific Railway.

LONGEST PAVED HIGHWAY

The Pacific Highway is now paved all the way from Tai Juana, Mexico, to Vancouver, B.C., a distance of approximately 1,800 miles, with the exception of ninety-eight miles of good surfaced highway in Northern California, making the Pacific Highway the longest paved road in the world. With this remarkable highway before him, the Southern motorist can be counted upon to come here this Summer in larger numbers than ever before.

INQUIRIES SHOW GROWTH OF INTEREST IN PACIFIC COAST

Seattle, March 30.—How interest throughout the country has grown in the Pacific Northwest is shown by figures announced yesterday by the Northern Pacific Railway, according to E. E. Nelson, assistant general passenger agent here.

These figures show the number of inquiries received by the Northern Pacific from its advertising in publications throughout the East. In February of this year, 5,029 inquiries were received as compared with 892 in February of last year. In January this year, 2,079 inquiries were received, compared with 656 in Janaury of the year previous.

Divided as to states, New York stands at the head of the list in number of inquiries, Wisconsin second, Pennsylvania third and Minnesota fourth.

Some of the leading states and the number of inquiries sent are as follows: New York 504, Wisconsin 432, Pennsylvania 416, Minnesota 328, Ohio 313, Illinois 262, Michigan 215, Iowa 208, Indiana 177, California 148, Texas 39, Massachusetts 135, Kansas 130, Missouri 121, and North Dakota 116.

Other states fell below 100 in the number of inquiries. All these figures were compiled for individual advertising done by the Northern Pacific and are separate from those traced to the joint advertising of the transcontinental lines.

Growth Follows Tourist Travel

Seattle, March 30.—The Seattle Times says editorially:

Proof that the great national conventions are steadily gravitating toward the Pacific is found in the records of civic organizations in the larger coast cities. This year no fewer than 126 national conventions will be held in coast cities.

That the tendency of national bodies to look this way for places to hold their annual meetings will have a marked effect on tourist travel cannot be doubted. It is comparatively an easy matter to compute the number of tourists that will be attracted to the Pacific Northwest by reason of the conventions to be held here. If no other cause operated to send Summer travelers our way, the conventions would insure a larger number of visitors than that of last season.

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The Pacific Northwest is now enjoying the benefits of several years of advertising. The attention of the country has been directed toward our matchless attractions in the way of climate and scenery. The fame of our region as the finest vacation land in the world is spreading rapidly throughout the East. The message to the tourists is going to millions of readers of eastern publications and is being carried by thousands of pleased visitors who have tasted the delights of the Charmed Land.

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The benefits accruing from the tourist business cannot be measured by the amount of money spent here. However large that sum may be, the greater benefit will come from investors who are looking for opportunities to engage in productive enterprises. It has been demonstrated in California and in Florida that industrial, commercial and business development follow the trend of tourist travel.

Visitors that come first as sightseers or Summer vacationists are quick to see the opportunities for profitable investment and return later for further investigation. First, the visitors must be induced to visit us, and then, after they have come face to face with the splendid realities, they will find their own opportunities.

With so much to offer in the way of natural advantages, the shortest route to rapid development in the Pacific Northwest lies in bringing an ever-increasing number of tourists. That is why the glowing reports of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce concerning the outlook this year bring such a large measure of satisfaction.

BRITISH PARTY IS ON WAY TO ALASKA

Five Businessmen of Hull to Search For Gold One Found Years Ago

London, March 30 (Canadian Press cable)—Five business men of Hull, Yorkshire, started out on an adventure which will take them to Alaska in search of silver when they sailed on the steamship Montclare for Canada Saturday. The party is led by John Riley, a well known commercial agent of Hull, who claims he discovered hidden treasure during the Klondike rush of twenty-five years ago, while prospecting off the beaten track. Riley declared before sailing that he could find the silver seam blind-folded.

Although the men had a cordial sendoff, their friends regard the adventure with skepticism and doubt whether the expedition is adequately financed and otherwise equipped.

Riley stated the treasure spot was 400 miles from any human habitation. Other members of the party frankly confessed the expedition was an absolute gamble.

After obtaining samples of the ore, the party proposes floating a company in Vancouver to work the find. It is stated an aeroplane may be obtained to convey samples of the ore from Alaska to Vancouver.

YOUR HEALTH

TUBERCULOSIS IS CUREABLE AND IS NOT HEREDITARY

By Royal S. Copeland, M.D.

Recently we had the annual Christmas seal stamp sale. During that week many things were printed and preached about tuberculosis and its prevention. In spite of it, however, my mail brings many requests for more information about the disease.

In a letter from Minnesota, I am asked a lot of questions. A personal reply would have been sent had there been an address, but since there was none I will answer it here.

Here are some of the inquiries!

How are you to avoid tuberculosis?

"If you have it, what should you eat?

Should you take strenuous exercise or rest?

Whate climate is best?

Do you have night sweats every night and is the temperature above normal at all times?

Should a tuberculosis patient avoid liquor or tobacco?

The first comforting thing I can say is that tuberculosis is not inherited. It is due to the manner of life and to the contacts of the victim himself.

Tuberculosis is produced by a germ, but it is induced by lowered bodily resistance, usually the result of neglect, overwork, worry, late hours, loss of sleep, undernourishment, or prolonged illness of any sort.

To avoid it, you must live a life governed by simplicity and common sense.

If you have tuberculosis, you can get rid of it in any climate. It is not caused by climate. It is not cured by climate.

I have visited tuberculosis hospitals in the mountains, at sea-level, in the desert, in the pines in the North and in the South, in the snow and in the rain. Sunshine, fresh air, out-of-doors life and cheerful surroundings are requisite to cure.

In general, there should be no exercise while there is fever and very modest exercise if there is a tendency to fever.

Nourishing food, such as is supplid by milk and eggs, is ideal if that food is palatable. Fruit, fresh vegetables and sensible eating are demanded.

Night sweats are common in some stages and temperature at night is the rule. They are of no consequence except as indications of the progress of the disease. As these symptoms lessen and disappear, you may become more and more encouraged.

You can be cured. It will take time, but courage, faith and contentment of mind will help a lot.

When beginning to doubt whether there are any more tenants, want advertise in the classified columns.

WANTS ALL LIQUORS—Col. J. A. Currie is not satisfied with Premier Ferguson's proposal for 4.4 per cent. beer. He is going to introduce a bill in the Ontario Legislature providing for the government sale of all liquors.

Douglas Fir Millwood

For economical Fuel this cannot be equalled, now is the season to order a supply of this wood, try our service—it excels.

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BARK SLABS FIR BLOCKS KINDLING

Nanoose-Wellington Coal

A product of Vancouver Island Mines—a coal beyond comparison, screened, weighed and sacked under careful supervision.

W. L. MORGAN FUEL CO.

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"My Greatest Thrill In Sport"

Being an Account of an Adventure Which Overtook Ozark Ripley On the Nipigon.

OZARK RIPLEY

For many years I have hunted and killed all kinds of big game on the American Continent except polar bear, and I have taken most kinds of fresh and salt water game fish. But the greatest thrill I ever experienced during my thirty years' devotion to outdoor sports came to me this summer in July on the Nipigon River in the rapids just below the Canadian Pacific bridge at Nipigon, Ont.

It all happened late in the evening. The trout at this point are the most famed and largest brook trout in the world. But just at that time they were not striking as usual on account of the exceedingly cold night. However, I decided to go to the river to try out a little split bamboo bait casting rod, 2¾ ounces, that I had made for casting very light lures. It would be a revelation to myself and other anglers to take trout in this manner, when fly casting is the vogue.

The water under the Canadian Pacific bridge, and below for a quarter of a mile at least, flows like a millrace. I attached to my line a small weighted feather casting minnow, just to see if the little rod would shoot it. At the first try I shot the lure at least 125 feet across the water toward the west bank and in the opposite edge of fast water.

The very instant that the tiny lure struck the water the second of the only two large rainbow trout that up to then had ever been taken out of the Nipigon rose and seized my lure. He was a monster. It seemed an impossible accomplishment ever to land that fish with the little rod and the fine nine-pound test casting line. The thrill that came in that approaching darkness was incredible. The killing of moose and grizzly bear was tame in comparison.

I worked in a bad light nearly an hour, and in danger of falling into that deep, swift reach, trying hard to lead that fish out of the fast water where the current would not aid it into the long upstream swirl on my side. The only thing that helped me in that fight was the generous supply of filled line I had in store on my reel to help perfect thumbing of it.

I worked up and down those rapids in despair and hope, and as the whims of the strong leaping fish directed. Yet the thrill of trying to land that whopper leaping rainbow with that tiny rod was something I had never conceived possible.

"It seemed an impossible accomplishment ever to land that fish."

It began to grow darker. Suddenly on the left bank I saw a big black bear take to the water and swim deliberately toward my fish, despite that terrible current. Evidently he took it for a cripple. Right off, that rainbow sensed his presence and darted for the east bank as fast as I could real in slack, and the bear kept his course direct for him.

The rainbow heading straight for the upstream water, with occasional leaps from it, finally gained the stretch of upstream current, with the bear only a few yeards behind him. That bear did not become apprised of my presence until he made a lunge for the fish, missed it as it leaped out of the water, and then scrambled for the bank to get a better survey of his expected prey. That very moment he got a whiff of the man scent, wheeled and scrambled as fast as he could for the thicket of spruce along the sheer hillside.

And then the thrill of thrills occurred in the darkness as I roughed that spent rainbow, and brought him along the coarse, narrow sand bank where, as he was far too large for my landing net, I fell on top of him and held him captive with my hands and knees until his strength was entirely exhausted.—New York World.

You May Buy a RESULT

Almost as Simply and Easily as a Hat—and Usually for Less Money

The advent of classified advertising brought to the market-places of the world a new sort of commodity which, for want of a better name, may be called result.

It is now possible to buy a state of affairs.

The man or woman who wants a new working-environment may secure it through a "situation wanted" ad.

The employer who would like to find better workers may buy that result by buying a little want ad. space.

A person who would rather have a certain sum of money in the bank than to own some particular thing may buy that result by buying a little want advertising space.

The landlord who wants more tenants or boarders, the person who wants to find a better place in which to live, the man who wants to buy or borrow or sell or speculate, all may buy results in buying classified advertising space; and in this indirect way may often

Buy a State of Affairs at a Bargain

Phone 1090 Times Advertising Dept.

A Pension for your Wife

You may leave your wife "well fixed" when you die, but her lack of business experience in administering your estate may cause it to dwindle away and in a few years leave her penniless.

If, however, you invest in an Imperial Life policy, you can direct that the Company pay to her a regular monthly income as long as she lives. Under this provision the Company guarantees to pay the income for not less than twenty years.

In this way you can relieve your widow of the anxiety, trouble and risk which the investment of the insurance money would involve if paid to her in a lump sum at your death. You should know more about this and many other liberal features of Imperial policies.

Write for descriptive booklet now—while you are insurable. Your doing so will place you under no obligation. It may save you a lot of future anxiety. Address:

THE IMPERIAL LIFE ASSURANCE Company of Canada

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KENNETH FERGUSON, Island Manager, VICTORIA
STANLEY HENDERSON, Mgr. for B.C., VANCOUVER

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PRESENTS TO-DAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY
JAMES KIRKWOOD AND LILA LEE
IN

"WANDERIN' HUSBANDS"

STORY BY C. GARDNER SULLIVAN
Wine and women, excitement and pleasure were his portion—

ALSO TO-NIGHT
COUNTRY STORE
Ed. Holloway on the Orchestral Organ
Doing the work of a sixteen piece orchestra

COMEDY
And Her Dangerous Path
This one is worth the admission alone

COLISEUM

The Home of the Novelty Show

THIS WEEK—BIG DOUBLE BILL
Including

THE STAGE

The Magnificent London Success—The Musical Play

"A Gaiety Girl"

WITH AUGMENTED CAST

Also

THE SCREEN

THE BIG PARAMOUNT FEATURE
BEBE DANIELS in

"Argentine Love"

Written by Vicente Ibanez, the Author of "The Four Horsemen"
Produced by Allan Dwan, Who Produced "Robin Hood"

FLOWER NIGHT TO-NIGHT | ORCHESTRAL NIGHT TUESDAY | NOVELTY NIGHT THURSDAY

To-night the Prizes for Last Week's Competition Will Be Distributed

Every Evening—Continuous from 7 p.m.—Matinee Saturday Only at 2.30—Prices, 35c 25c and 15c

ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE

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In Aid of the Under-Privileged Child
BETTER THAN EVER
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Tickets 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50
Box Office Opens Friday, April 3

READ THE ADVERTISEMENTS
They Save Your Time

MILTON SILLS HAS STRONG STORY OF SOUTH SEA ISLES AND THEIR ROMANTIC SCENES

Capitol Showing Features Milton Sills and Viola Dana in Emotional Story of Tahiti and Its Languorous Beaches.

Milton Sills goes to sea again as Captain John Clay, of the two-masted pearl schooner, "Lark," in First National's "As Man Desires," a rapid-fire drama of romance at the Capitol Theatre.

Gone are the bushy beard and trappings of Sir Oliver Tressilian, the indomitable hero of Frank Lloyd's picturization of "The Sea Hawk."

Sills in "As Man Desires" is the gaunt, weatherbeaten captain of a South Sea Island pearl fisher, and master of "Forbidden Island," the mystery island of the Tahiti group. He is still the doughty fighter. The ruffian seamen who frequent the waterfront dives of Tahiti fear him for his grim silence and brute strength, especially after he conquers "Gorilla" Bagsley, the bully of Tahiti, in a terrific encounter.

Viola Dana, who is also featured in the drama, in the role of a half-wild native dancing girl, falls in love with him and Sills takes her with the intention of making her into a "fine lady," as a rebuff to the memory of the girl whose fancied infidelity has brought his disgrace and exile.

The supporting cast includes Ruth Clifford, Rosemary Theby, Tom Kennedy, Paul Nicholson, Lou Payne, Hector Sarno, Anna May Walthall, Edneh Altemus and Frank Leigh. Irving Cummings directed under Earl Hudson, supervisor of First National productions.

AT THE THEATRES

Capitol—"As Man Desires."
Dominion—"Coming Through."
Coliseum—A Gaiety Girl."
Playhouse—"So This is Marriage."
Columbia — "Wandering Husbands."

T. Meighan Takes Lively Part in Film Showing at Dominion

"Coming Through" is Colorful Story With Excellent Cast

Where you find Meighen there is generally action. Such is the case, anyway, with "Coming Through," the star's latest Paramount production, at the Dominion all this week.

Pell-mell action and real thrills is the order of things from start to finish.

"Coming Through" is a story of coal mining and coal miners, adapted to the screen by Paul Schofield from Jack Bethea's popular novel, "Bed Rock." Lila Lee is featured in the leading woman's role. Wallace Beery heads the supporting cast, which also includes such prominent stage and screen players as John Miltern, Frank Campeau and Laurance Wheat.

Meighen's role is that of Tom Blackford employed with a big steel corporation. He is shipped off to the company's mines at Colton, just outside of Birmingham, as superintendent. Here the real action starts.

The scenes in the picture include a hand-to-hand fight between Meighan and Beery on a skeleton framework about sixty feet above the ground. Beery is bested and takes a "header" to a rock below. You've seen screen fights before, to be sure, but never anything that quite comes up to this.

Another breath-taker is the scene where one of the "trips," a coal car, breaks away and goes hurtling down through the mine at terrifying speed. Meighan turns a switch in the nick of time, sending the car crashing into the framework of the mine and bringing down a shower of dirt and rocks from overhead, but saving the lives of many of the miners.

'Wanderin' Husbands' Is Columbia Showing For First Half-week

What is Sauce for the Gander Should be Sauce for the Goose

What's sauce for the gander is sauce for the goose—but the gander doesn't think so! A husband who does more than his share of philandering will raise a great hue and cry should his wife cast admiring eyes in the direction of another man.

If it pleases him to take another woman out to dinner he phones home that "pressing business" keeps him at the office, goes off with a high heart and a silent conscience. But should friend wife do the same thing he is not only amazed but deeply hurt.

When Diana Moreland, in the company of her escort, came to the roadhouse where her husband was dining with a fair charmer he got the shock of his life. But he was absolutely speechless when she nonchalantly joined his party and took his "playing around" as a matter of course. She even invited his companion to spend the week-end with them.

This encounter and the subsequent events furnish a thrilling climax to "Wandering Husbands," the new James Kirkwood-Lila Lee feature which comes to the Columbia Theatre for a three days' run. James Kirkwood plays the husband, Lila Lee the wife, and Margaret Livingston the other woman. The supporting cast includes Eugene Pallette, Muriel Frances Dana, Turner Savage, George Pearce and George French.

"Wandering Husbands" was written by C. Gardner Sullivan and is said to present in a most interesting manner the problems of married life.

"This is Marriage" Playhouse Offers Comedy Situations

Douglas Maclean is Starred in Film Addition, "The Sunshine Trail"

A real treat is promised Playhouse patrons this week in the Frank Morton Company offering "So This Is Marriage," the new musical comedy success.

Founded on a plot that differs materially from the usual run of musical comedy stories, the action carries it rapidly from one side-splitting situation to another. The entire cast will be seen to advantage in the new bill.

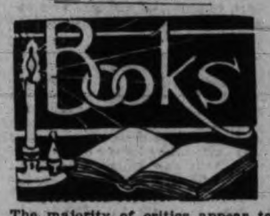
Frank Morton plays in a light comedy role; Gladys Vaughan in a character part; Roy Earl as an eccentric comedian; Hilda Cooke in an ingenue part, and Audrey Bennett as a society matron.

The usual song numbers and specialties, with new costuming and scenery will be important features. On the screen Douglas Maclean is starred in "The Sunshine Trail," said to be the best feature this clever screen artist has ever produced.

KIWANIS SONGSTER

GEORGE BAILEY

one of the jovial end men of the Kikanis Minstrels, who will entertain on April 6 and 7 at the Royal Victoria Theatre.



The majority of critics appear to hand the literary palm for the season ending Dec. 31, 1924, to E. M. Forster's "A Passage to India."

Certainly no books receive more press notices and the sale has been exceptionally large for a book based on character and fine writing, rather than romance, high adventure and the other elements that seem to make for popularity.

Months ago this surveyor took off his hat to the volume, but feels that there is one bit of writing to which far too little importance has been attached. This is Ford Madox Ford's "Some Do Not —" What Thackeray's "Vanity Fair" was to its Victorian age, this book is to our time. It is a social picture, penetrating and unsparing.

Mrs. Sarah Gertrude Millin

If to some it seems shocking, just recall that "Vanity Fairr" set the Victorians upon their ear. It is one of those writings which could be turned to a hundred years hence by one seeking a picture of present-day England. By which it is not intended to imply that this is a classis, or that it will live a hundred years; rather that it is a remarkably good record.

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Speaking of prognostications and literary palms the prediction herewith is made that one of the most talked about and widely read books of the new season will be "Soundings" (Little, Brown), by A. Hamilton Gibbs, the little brother of Cosmo Hamilton and Sir Philip Gibbs. It will appear about March.

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In the meanwhile a surprise, most pleasant and unexpected, comes out of South Africa. It is "God's Stepchildren" (Boni, Liveright), by Sarah Gertrude Millin, who holds the position of literary editor on the Cape Town Times. This book will take its place with Schreiner's "Story of a South African Farm" as one of the great novels of Africa. Only in greatness does the similarity rest; for here is superb style, great originality in presentation and such passion and sympathy as can be found in few books written in this generation.

Only in Somerset Maugham's "Of Human Bondage" can similar qualities be found.

Briefly, the novel takes this course: there are five divisions, each dealing with a generation. The first of the line is Rev. Andrew Flood, missionary, gone to preach to the Hottentots. The rest is amazing biological and sociological study. Rev. Flood has a Hottentot wife. Their daughter is a half-caste. With her begins the sequence of tragedies, all written with a fine detachment and keen insight.

It is beyond doubt the big book of the season—thus far.

"Gaiety Girl" is Big Feature at Coliseum Show

Hincks Company Has Excellent Vehicle; "Argentine Love" Paramount Film

"A Gaiety Girl" is the musical comedy show that Reginald Hincks' is putting on the boards of the Coliseum Theatre this week.

This is more of a musical play than anything else, but it gives fine scope for Ernie Petch's beautiful voice, Will Marshall's Cockney comedy, Peggy Lewis' flippant mannerisms, and the dramatic ability of Vangie Bielby, Eileen Allwood and Dorothy Sehl, while George Brydon will be seen in a small but delightful part.

The public is reminded that to-night the prizes for last week's competition will be distributed. To-night will also be the Flower Night. Tuesday night the augmented orchestra under the direction of W. Tickle will play Spanish selections. Thursday night there will be an entirely new novelty added to the programme.

"Argentine Love," the Paramount picturization of the story by Vicente Blasco Ibanez, showing at the Coliseum this week, features Bebe Daniels and Richardo Cortez. James Rennie, Aurelio Coccia, Alice Chapin and other well known players appear in support. The story, a delightful romance laid in the little old-world town of Alcorta in the Argentine, was adapted for the screen by John Russell. Allan Dwan, director of "Robin Hood" and many of the Gloria Swanson-Paramount successes, produced the picture.

Always a second cup when it's
Chase & Sanborn's
SEAL BRAND Coffee

CHILD KILLED AND NINE PERSONS HURT

Montreal, March 30. — One child was almost instantly killed, nine persons were injured—one of them may die—and a chauffeur is being held by the police as a witness for the coroner's court as the result of an automobile collision near here last night. The accident occurred when the driver of one car drove on the wrong side of the road and both swerved at the same time.

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FOX NEWS

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HODGE PODGE

SAANICH FARMERS WILL EXAMINE DUNCAN REPORT

Fruit Marketing Will be Debated at Keating To-morrow Evening

To discuss the Duncan report on fruit marketing, a meeting of the members of the Saanich Fruitgrowers' Association will be held to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock at the Keating Temperance Hall. J. A. Grant, B.X., Fruit Markets Commissioner at Calgary, will be one of the principal speakers.

Saanich and Gordon Head are greatly interested in the report of Commissioner Duncan, having experienced satisfactory returns from the marketing arrangement with the Mutual brokers.

BERRIES EARN PREMIUM

The high quality of the Saanich and Gordon Head berries had been rewarded with a handsome premium over mainland prices, the net returns per crate being $2.94.4 for 27,928 packages. The Pacific Berry Growers had received $2.71.5 each for 18,030 crates, and the Berry Growers' Union had netted $2.64 for 25,017 crates. Saanich fruit growers had been paid $11,000 more than the price received by the Berry Growers' Union for the same quantity of fruit.

The ferry and switching charges on Island berries averaged 10 cents per crate, so that the actual premium earned by the Island fruit had been 40 cents per crate over mainland prices.

The Saanich fruit had been handled at 30½ cents per crate, much lower charges than those reported as paid by mainland growers, the association charges being 20 cents per crate for handling, pre-cooling, truckage and assembly, while the brokerage paid the Mutual Brokers, to cover sales and collections, had averaged 10½ cents per crate, on a five per cent basis on a guarantee price of $2.10 per crate. The Saanich fruit growers are highly pleased with these returns, and this satisfaction has grown since the announcement that mainland berries had been charged as high as 91 cents per crate.

To-morrow evening's meeting will be adjourned, probably until Thursday evening, to give H. P. Simpson, president of the B.C. Berry Growers' Union of the mainland, an opportunity to address the Island growers.

HOW MANY FEET IN THE AIR?—The cross-country runners clearing this fence are just a handful from more than 1,000 who competed in the recent Grand National Race in Paris.

BRITISH FAMILIES FOR CANADIAN FARMS

Thirty-one Selected Groups Have Just Arrived to Start Work

Halifax, March 30.—The first large party of British farmer settlers to arrive in Canada under a joint arrangement between the British and Canadian Governments by which these families will be assisted to locate on farms in Canada reached here Sunday on the steamship Canopic. They proceeded at once by special train to their destinations in Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

The parties consisted of thirty-one families especially selected by officials of the Canadian Government Immigration Department in Great Britain and Ireland. The men have all had farming experience and they, their wives and children have been selected with a view to securing settlers likely to prove successful in Canada. Cash assistance to the extent of £300 to each family is being provided as a loan by the British Government to establish these settlers on the land and supply necessaries until the farms are productive. Assistance also is given jointly by the Canadian and British Governments toward the cost of transportation as a loan to adults and a free grant to children. In addition each family has some personal capital of its own which will be used in making a start on the land.

CHARGE OF MURDER LAID IN MANITOBA

Man Accused of Killing Unknown Man in House Committed For Trial

Winnipegosis, Man., March 30 (Canadian Press)—After witnesses had testified that Pat Decharme had murdered an unknown man and left the scene of the crime only to return two days later to drag the body of the victim at the end of a rope tied to a horse's tail to an unknown spot, Magistrate Yale Saturday ordered Decharme committed for trial on a charge of murder. The identity of the victim, it is believed, will not become known until the huge drifts of snow in this remote northern district have melted.

WANTED A BOARD

The evidence pointed to one of the most brutal and callous crimes of the Province. Robert Lacquette testified that during the latter part of August, 1924, he was driving with Decharme. When they arrived at a house owned by Ishmael Guthier, believed to be unoccupied, he testified, Decharme got down from the wagon to get a board for use as a seat in the conveyance. Guthier testified that Decharme, unable to find a loose board, tore one from a window which was boarded over, and that in doing so he disturbed someone inside the building. Decharme then returned to the wagon, seized a rifle and, returning to the window, fired a shot through it. The witness said he heard a man groan, then he and Decharme drove away. Two days later, according to Lacquette, Decharme returned on horseback to the house and, finding the body, attached one end of a rope to it and the other to the tail of the horse. In this manner, the witness said, he dragged the corpse to a spot where it now lies, hidden by the snow.

Napoleon Lacquette, father-in-law of the accused, gave similar evidence regarding Decharme's second visit to the house and told of having seen the accused return home with the horse, which still had a rope attached to its tail.

STORM DAMAGE IN NEW ENGLAND AREA

Snow, Hail and Floods Took Toll; One Automobile Death During Disturbance

Six Buildings Slid Into River; Electrical Power Supply Stopped

Boston, March 30.—Snow, hail and floods of rain descended on all New England yesterday, causing thousands of dollars' worth of damage, and at least one death when an automobile driver, whose wision was obscured by snow, ran down a man in a street of Providence, R.I.

Randolph, Vermont, suffered the most. Six buildings slid into the swollen water of the second branch of White River, a tenement which had been weakened was burned so that it might not clog the stream, two dams were carried away with attendant loss of power to factories, and the water mains of the town were burst. The loss exceeded $50,000.

The roof of a three-story building in Manchester, N.H., collapsed under the weight of water. No one was hurt, but the damage was estimated at $20,000.

Lightning played its part in the havoc. At Glencove, Rockland, Maine, a bolt entered the power station, plunging five towns into darkness. Another bolt struck the water tower of a mill at Union, N.H., and crippled the plant.

Several highways in New England were made impassable by washouts, and trains in several instances were delayed.

Education begins the gentleman, but reading, good company and reflection must finish him.—Locke.

Fans Have Heard Local Station For Last Time

The swansong of Station CFCT was heard last night, when Rev. Clem Davies announced from the pulpit of the City Temple that the radio station operated by the church, in co-operation with Fletcher Brothers, would not again be heard on the air.

On Friday afternoon the City Council voted the station $1,500, on condition that other sources of subscription produced an equal amount in support of the station. This condition had been found impossible to comply with, and dismantling of the broadcasting station will commence forthwith.

The difference between landscape and landscape is small, but there is great difference between the beholders. —Emerson.

$5,000 BREWERY FEE IN ONTARIO

Reported Charge Under New Liquor Law of That Province Will be Heavy

Toronto, March 30. — The Toronto Star publishes the following dispatch from Kingston:

"The Kingston Standard says the license fee to be put on breweries in Ontario brewing 4.4 per cent beer under the new law will be $5,000 a year. If this is so, then many of the smaller brewery plants will be unable to pay the fee and will be forced out of business."

CHAIN STORES

Toronto, March 30.—The big chain grocery concerns operating in Toronto announce they will not handle the new 4.4 per cent. beer soon to be placed on the market. One of the largest mentions its lack of a delivery system as the chief reason for passing up the business, while another shies at the trouble of looking after the empties. Only one of the big concerns interviewed by local papers is avoiding the business on moral grounds. One of the chain store chiefs expressed the view that the beer would add a considerable source of revenue to the smaller retail stores.

U.S. MUSICIANS' VISIT OPPOSED IN LONDON

London, March 30.—The Amalgamated Musicians' Union, backed by members of the Labor Party, has given notice it will endeavor to have raised in the House of Commons a question concerning the recent action of the Ministry of Labor in granting a license to the band of Vincent Lopez to come to England for an engagement in a London theatre.

The Labor members of Parliament have promised to support the union energetically in opposition to foreign jazz bands being given licenses in England when numerous British musicians are without employment.

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Ford Touring	$385	Chevrolet F.B. Touring	$900
Chevrolet Touring	$400	Lexington, 7-passenger	$1,100
Chevrolet Touring	$425	Cole "8," 7-passenger	$1,250
Chevrolet Touring	$450	Cadillac 263, 7-passenger Touring	$3,950
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SERIAL STORY

THE DARLING OF DESTINY

By MILDRED BARBOUR

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UNEXPECTED RICHES

Just why Sue won her point with Haskins would be difficult to determine, but suffice it to say that she did win it and when she left his office to lunch with him at the Clarridge, she had his promise to rescue the Colonel from his financial impasse and she had left Roger's play in his possession.

It may have been that Haskins agreed to her rather outrageous and certainly unprecedented proposition because he still had some hope of winning her regard. Or perhaps he actually felt some friendship for the Blanchards who had rather strained a point to accept him socially when he was not actually eligible for their set. But most probably his shrewd mind saw the possibilities in the play Sue had offered him and he took no chances on having it given to a rival producer. Subsequently events proved his judgment good, for when the play was produced in the early Spring, it had the good fortune to be the sensation of the year and had a two-season run on Broadway alone.

Sue went back to Long Island late that afternoon, weary to death with the exciting events of the past few days, but experiencing in the region of her heart, a warm glow of satisfaction at a task well done.

Her success with Haskins had preceded her and when she reached the house, she found the Colonel awaiting her with an expression of such poignant relief that she could have cried with sheer happiness.

He took her into his arms as tenderly as a father and kissed her on the brow.

"My more than daughter," he said huskily. "What a lot we all owe you. You came into our house a little unwelcome. I will be frank enough to admit, and you have proved yourself an invaluable friend in need to every one of us. Roger has told me what you did for him in the affair of the actress and Haskins told me over the phone a few minutes ago, when he offered me the loan, that you had put across with him the play that Roger wrote. You've given my wife entree to a social set she craved, through your engagement to Teall and you've brought my Joan happiness and saved Josephine's home from wreck. You wonderful child! What are you anyway? A gift straight from Heaven?" He pinched her chin between thumb and finger playfully. It made her very happy to see him once again without that haunted, despairing look and she patted his cheek smilingly.

"Never mind about me. I don't count. It just happened that I arrived on the scene at a psychological moment. A child of Destiny, maybe—who knows? But not a wonderful girl at all."

When she went upstairs to dress for dinner, she found a letter that had come in the last post lying on her desk. It was postmarked Chicago, but she recognized Tom Sheldon's familiar sprawling handwriting.

How little he now meant to her sentimentally was demonstrated by the fact that she waited until she was dressed for dinner before reading it. When she finally tore open the envelope and unfolded the sheet of paper it contained, her eyes grew wide with amazement. She read:

"Sue dear:

"Well, I've gone and done it at last—and I have you to thank.

"The biggest company that manufactures reapers in America has bought my invention and they've paid me a whale of a sum. I'm rich, girl,—rich. And so are you, because it was the money you sent me, which, added to what I've saved all these years, made it possible for me to talk turkey to these people and put the whole thing over. I'm making a fifty-fifty split with you on every cent I get each time my device is put on a new machine.

"We're both independent now, dear old girl, so I can ask you again to marry me and know that if you grant me this happiness, it'll be because you care and for no other reason. If you haven't met anyone in New York, will you take a chance with your old pal of Virginia days——"

The letter slipped from Sue's fingers. She didn't finish reading the few lines that remained before Tom's sprawling signature. Her eyes were dreaming—dreaming of a future where she had money and independence, the chance to travel, to see a world she had never seen before.

But it was a future without Tom. When she tried to imagine herself married, it was not Tom's familiar, good-natured face that rose before her, but Alvin Teall's with his charming, half-amused, half-cynical smile and his eyes that mocked here and fascinated her at the same time.

She sighed and dismissed the thought, telling herself that there were things to be done immediately.

First she sent a congratulatory wire to Tom and hastily, before the dinner gong sounded, she penned a letter to Aunt Sarah telling her to make ready to come to New York, to close the Virginia house and prepare to make her home with Sue in New York.

When she finally went in to dinner, she had already telephoned Teall and asked him to come over.

She had determined to end the farce that night and give him his coveted freedom from a fictitious engagement.

A FEW EXPLANATIONS

When Sue announced to the Blanchard family, over the coffee, that she intended henceforth to maintain a little apartment in New York for aunt and herself, there was a storm of protest.

The Blanchards, who had once dreaded her coming to live with them, became almost tearful in their pleading that she remain with them until her marriage to Teall. But Sue had long ago demonstrated to them the fact that she was a young lady with a will of her own, a girl whose sweetness and softness hid an unsuspected streak of steel, and eventually she won her way.

The argument was still in progress however, when Teall was announced, and Mrs. Blanchard nodded her head wisely.

"I rather think that young man will change your mind for you," she told Sue. "Go and talk to him, dear child."

Sue excused herself with a demure smile. It amused her to imagine the astonishment of her relatives if they could have overheard her ensuing interview with Teall.

He was standing before the crackling wood fire in the library when she entered. Her heart contracted a bit at sight of his good looks. She hated to relinquish him, even as a make-believe fiance. Again she wondered if she could possibly be in love with him.

"This summons of yours was a rare pleasure," he smiled down at her. "You so seldom ask me to come to you."

Sue looked at him smilingly.

"You will be more happy than before when you hear why I asked you to come here," she told him. "I sent for you to end our brief and ridiculous engagement. Thank you for your tolerance in letting it continue as long as it did. I shall always be grateful, I assure you."

At her first words his face had sobered. He heard her to the end, watching her gravely, the old mocking light gone from his eyes.

When she had finished, he said quietly:

"There is no need to end our agreement, Sue. I am quite satisfied with matters as they are. I know I have a beastly temper and sometimes it has flared up unmercifully, but I ask you to forgive that. My outburst really meant that I no longer wished to continue our pretended relationship."

"Thank you again," she said, "it is sweet and chivalrous of you. But there is no longer need of continuing. I am going away."

"Going away?" he repeated quickly. "Where?"

"Only to New York. But I am sending for my old aunt to come to live with me, and we shall keep bachelor's hall together. It may be rather fun."

"You think you will be happy with her? Are you fond of her? Sometimes those arrangements prove very unfortunate."

"I owe her a great deal," Sue told him gravely. "She took me into her care at a time when I had reached a cross-road. I might have gone right or wrong. Thanks to her, with my father's help, I went right."

"I'm afraid I don't understand," his face wore a puzzled expression. "You're only an innocent child. What chance had you ever to make a momentous decision about life."

Sue shook her head.

"Shall I tell you? Maybe it would help to explain some queer things about me, things that I have seen puzzled my relatives here?"

"Please do," he urged quickly. "I'll confess you've had me puzzled and distrustful of my own judgment since the first time I saw you in my garden yonder."

"My mother was a dancing girl in a cabaret in New Orleans when my father met her," Sue began in a low voice. "She came of a proud family which refused to let her return home after she had eloped and married a man much beneath her socially. He died and she had to support herself, so she turned to the only thing she could do. She was a born dancer, so graceful and light as air.

"My father had a history similar to hers. He, too, had been a sort of black sheep, a wanderer. Aunt Theresa never admits that, she wouldn't, you know. But Aunt Sarah, who by the way, is my mother's aunt, will tell you frankly and proudly, too, for my father came back in a way. When he met my mother at the cabaret and they fell in love, they both realized how far they were drifting, and they married and determined to help each fight the way back. It was a losing fight, of course, I was born, and that complicated matters. They had to earn a living somehow and they accepted engagements together, at cabarets and in theatres. My father could sing and my mother danced, and when I was old enough she taught me and we all three played together."

She paused a moment, her eyes wide with reminiscence, but Teall made no comment, so she continued:

"It was a curious life but a happy one, in a way, because we three loved each other devotedly. It was never dull. Each day brought something different. Sometimes we were lucky in the matter of engagements, and we lived in fine hotels in big cities of the South and West. Sometimes we occupied a tiny back room in a boarding house and cooked eggs over the gas jet. You can understand all it taught me. I learned a little about the better world.

"But I learned more about the underworld. I learned human beings and the impulses that drive them. I learned to be a little tricky and shrewd, and when I found that my looks were deceptive, that people believed me to be an unsophisticated child, I enjoyed it and liked to see the people fooled. Oh, I might have turned very bad if my father hadn't seen what was happening to me!

"It was just after my mother died," her voice lowered softly. "He hadn't the heart to go on playing and he turned his attention and affection to me. He took me to Virginia where an aunt of my mother's lived, this same Aunt Sarah. She was the only one of the family who had long forgiven her neice for urning away, and she took me in and made a home for my father and me. Oh, she was strict enough and not always kind or loving, but she taught me the better side of life. And my father made me study and read a great deal, and talked to me about his own family and the sort of ideals they had. By the time he died and his sister, Aunt Theresa, sent for me to come here I had almost forgotten the old existence. Aunt Sarah had completely forgotten, and she was actually afraid that I wouldn't be safe travelling alone," she laughed softly. "Dear Aunt Sarah with her many admonitions! But, do you know, I almost needed them—I had changed so much, forgotten so much, learned so much."

She leaned forward suddenly to Teall with a quick change of tone:

"Do forgive me for this long, sad story. I could have told in much fewer words, but we can never resist talking about ourselves, can we?"

He took both her hands in his and looked down at her gravely.

"Your confidence has made me very happy. I have waited for it a long time. And now, since I feel somehow that you made it with the idea of a confession, I want to tell you how greatly I admire and respect you."

She bent her head and her eyes lowered.

"Thank you," she said softly.

"And I want to ask you," he went on, in a voice strangely husky," to allow your engagement to me to continue—but to make it real?"

Startled, she raised her eyes, and what she saw in his brought the swift color to her cheeks.

"I don't think—I—love you," she said, hesitantly.

"Of course you don't—now," he agreed quickly, "in fact, I almost believe you dislike me. But we have seen very little of each other. Promise me this: that you will give me a chance to make you care—when you have carried out your plan to be independent in New York."

She agreed shyly, her eyes shining and her breath a little quickened. He caught her in his arms and bent his lips to hers.

At that moment, Mrs. Blanchard passed the library door on her way to the motor and a club dance. What she saw caused her to nod with satisfaction.

"I knew we wouldn't lose her after all. And the place next door will never be occupied by impossible strangers, thank Heaven! Sometimes, it's a nice world!"

THE END

New serial story, "The Circular Staircase," by Mary Roberts Rinehart, starts to-day on Page 11.

SECURITY PACT IS CALLED DANGEROUS

Lord Beaverbrook Says British Should Not Misunderstand Dominions' Attitude

Condemns Proposed Military Alliance For France Against Germany

London, March 30 (Canadian Press Cable).—Written in his paper, The Sunday Express, Lord Beaverbrook declared yesterday that the Geneva protocol, which is now dead, the proposed military alliance to protect Belgium and France against Germany, and the latest proposal of Foreign Minister Austen Chamberlain to join a security pact between the former enemy and the Allied Powers were all dangerous and threatened the military and political unity of the British Empire, for the Dominions would have none of them.

"It is said in several London newspapers," wrote Lord Beaverbrook, "that Premier King of Canada, in taking a firm line against European commitments in these three issues, is acting as the representative of a party in Canada rather than as the representative of the nation. As a matter of fact, the Canadian Premier speaks here not for a political section of the Dominion, but for the whole people of Canada. It is of the utmost importance that this fact be recognized in Britain. The position of Canada is that of the majority of the Dominions.

PLEDGE ASKED

"If a real crisis should arise, like that of 1914, in which the whole safety of Britain and the Empire was obviously at stake, the Empire would rise to its own defence as one man, but the Dominions are being asked in advance to commit themselves to fight for Athens against Constantinople—as they were actually asked to do in 1922 by Winston Churchill—or for the Polish frontier against Russia or Germany alternatively, or for Czecho-Slovakia against Hungary, or France against Germany or Germany against France as they are being asked by Austen Chamberlain in 1925.

"Let me say in the most positive manner that the Dominions will have none of it . . . The naked effect of this Tory imperialism is that it prefers to oblige the Belgians, the French or the Poles to considering the opinions of the Australians, Canadians, New Zealanders or South Africans.

"One other school is that of the pacifist interventionists, who desire Great Britain to give laws to Europe in the strict interests of international morality," wrote Lord Beaverbrook. "These eminent gentlemen possess as their fad the dream of the League of Nations and ignore the reality of that far more potent force—the existing League of British Nations, under the crown. I prefer the reality to the dream."

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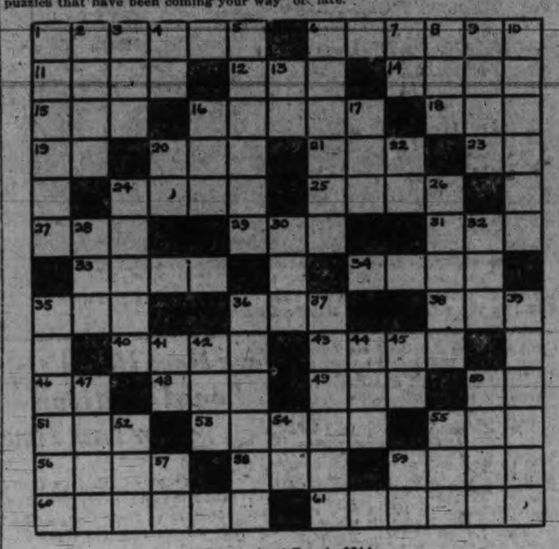

Cross-word Puzzle 0214

HOW TO SOLVE THE CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Every number in the form represents the beginning of a word, reading either horizontally or vertically. If there is a black square to the left of the number, the word is horizontal; if above it, the word is vertical. The same number may of course begin both as a horizontal and a vertical. The definitions for the correct words to fill the form are found below, with numbers corresponding to those on the form. Run through the definitions till you find one that you recognize, and put it in its proper place on the form, one letter for each white square. This will furnish several cross-clues to the words linking with it at right angles. Continue in this manner till the form is completely filled. If you have solved the puzzle correctly it should read both horizontally and vertically with words corresponding to the definitions. The correct solution of to-day's puzzle will be printed in the next issue of The Times

HORIZONTAL

1. However, notwithstanding the fact that (adverb).
6. Looking glass.
11. Ages.
12. High priest of Israel who trained Samuel.
14. Edge of a roof.
15. Mimic.
16. Twelve dozen.
18. Instrument for writing.
19. Point of compass.
20. Constellation.
21. Digit of the foot.
23. Direction between Europe and North Pole.
24. Identical.
25. Trees of genus Ulmus.
27. To drink dog fashion.
29. Polite form of addressing a man.
31. Possesses.
33. Remainder.
34. Within a short time.
35. Meadow.
36. Given to eat.
38. Queer.
40. Flower that blooms in June.
43. Tide, backwards.
46. Nothing.
49. Negative adverbial particle.
50. Mother.
51. Night.
53. To overlay with a metal.
55. Friend.
56. Roman Emperor (who fiddled while Rome burned).
58. Before.
59. Cavity.
60. Sold.
61. More profound.

VERTICAL

1. Plant used to raise nap on cloth.
2. Trust.
3. A unit.
4. Personal pronoun.
5. Men of valor.
6. A title of courtesy prefixed to name of a man.
7. Note in scale.
8. Tap on door.
9. The baking part of your stove.
10. Resumes.
13. Behold.
16. Jewel.
17. Sun.
20. Sixth note in scale.
22. Printer's measure.
24. A weapon with a long shaft used in war.
26. What you can do with a gun.
28. Part of to be.
30. Frozen water.
32. Conjunction.
35. Dormant.
36. Trees chopped down.
37. To make slight depressions (past tense.
39. Trader.
41. Upon.
42. To drink in small quantities.
44. Female deer.
45. Neuter pronoun.
47. Higher than.
50. Man.
52. Epoch.
54. Measure of area.
55. Noise made by opening of a bottle.
57. An alleged force or power supposed to produce the phenomenon of hypnotism.
59. Masculine pronoun.

Answer to Cross-word Puzzle 0213

DAILY RADIO PROGRAMMES

MONDAY, MARCH 30

CFCA—Toronto (356.9)
From 6.30 to 7.30 p.m.—Dinner music, Hippodrome Theatre.

CHNC—Toronto (356.9)
At 8.30 p.m.—Old-time programme, CHNC Little Symphony orchestra; Paramount quartette.

KDKA—Pittsburg, Pa. (309.1)
At 7.30 p.m.—Daddy Winkum and his magical rhyme machine.
At 8 p.m.—Anniversary programme, addresses, Dr. John G. Bowman, H. P. Davis, president Westinghouse Elec. and Mfg. Company.
At 9.30 p.m.—Special Spanish programme.

WEAF—New York, N.Y. (491.5)
From 6 to 7 p.m.—Dinner music, Waldorf-Astoria.
From 7.15 to 8.30 p.m.—Strand Theatre programme.
From 8.30 to 8.45 p.m.—James McDonald, baritone.
From 9 to 10 p.m.—A. and P. Gypsies.
From 10 to 10.10 p.m.—Klutus Tecumseh, Indian songs.
From 10.10 to 10.40 p.m.—Columbia University Glee Club.
From 10.40 to 11.30 p.m.—Ben Bernie's Hotel Roosevelt orchestra.

KOA—Denver, Colo. (322.4)
At 8 p.m.—Ten minutes of music, Fred Schmitt and his Rialto Theatre orchestra.
From 8 to 10 p.m.—Conservatory of Music, Colorado State Teachers' College, J. de Forest Cline, director; Greeley Symphony orchestra; J. E. Chadwick, pianist; "Horace Greeley and the Development of Greeley and the West," R. E. Winbourn.

KOB—State College, N.M. (348.6)
From 7.30 to 8.30 p.m.—"The Proper Feeding of Babies and Young Children," Dr. R. E. McBride; "Flower Gardens in the Southwest," Francis E. Lester.

KFAE—Pullman, Wash. (348.3)
From 7.30 to 9 p.m.—Harvey Wixson, tenor; Raymond Howell, violinist; "Our Moral Responsibility to Criminals," Judge Thomas Neill; "Care of Minor Infections," Mrs. Myrtle Mount; "Trees for Home Beautification," M. D. Armstrong; "Opportunity in Mechanical Engineering," G. E. Thornton; talk on new books, Alice L. Webb.

KFI—Los Angeles, Calif. (468.5)
From 5.30 to 6 p.m.—Examiner's musical half-hour.
From 6.45 to 7 p.m.—Radiotorial talk.
From 7 to 8 p.m.—Evening Herald Radiolians dance orchestra, Charlie Melson, tenor.
From 8 to 9 p.m.—Programme, Coso Hot Springs All-Indian programme.
From 9 to 10 p.m.—Programme, Walter M. Murphy Motors Company.
From 10 to 11 p.m.—Examiner, Ray West and his Alexandria Hotel dance orchestra.

KFOA—Seattle, Wash. (384.4)
From 8.30 to 10 p.m.—Times programme.

KFWB—Hollywood, Calif. (252)
From 7 to 8 p.m.—Dinner dance.
From 8 to 10 p.m.—A pot-pourri of the classics, the light operas and jazz seasoned with few talks by some prominent members of screenland.
From 10 p.m. to 1 a.m.—Brandstatter's Hollywood Montmarte Cafe dance orchestra.

KGO—Oakland, Calif. (361.2)
From 5.30 to 6 p.m.—Aunt Betty stories.
At 8 p.m.—Cremona trio; "The Development of Rural Citizenship," Prof. W. J. Waterhouse; "A Lesson in English," Wilda Wilson Church; "Living Yourself," Albertine Richards Nash; "Social Letters," Edith Stevens Giles; "Chats About New Books," Joseph Henry Jackson.
From 10 p.m. to 1 a.m.—Dance music, Henry Halstead's orchestra.

KGW—Portland, Ore. (491.5)
At 6 p.m.—William Robinson Boone, organist.

KLX—Oakland, Calif. (508.2)
From 8 to 9.30 p.m.—Educational programme.
From 9.30 to 10 p.m.—American Theatre orchestra.
At 10 p.m.—Meeting of the Lake Merritt Ducks.

KNX—Hollywood, Calif. (336.9)
From 5.45 to 6.15 p.m.—Wurlitzer pipe organ studio.
From 6.15 to 7.30 p.m.—Programme John A. Evans Corporation, Hacienda Park orchestra.
From 8 to 10 p.m.—Programme, Western Auto Supply Company, Paul Finstein's KNX string quintette.
From 10 to 11 p.m.—Silvertown Cord dance orchestra, Lilyan May Challenger, contra-contralto.

KPO—San Francisco, Calif. (420.3)
From 7 to 7.30 p.m.—Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel orchestra.
From 8 to 9 p.m.—Theodore J. Irwin, organist; Mrs. Zeb Kendall, soprano.
From 9 to 10 p.m.—Talk, Capt. S. H. Dancey; talk, San Francisco Spring festival; programme, Panama College.
From 10 to 11 p.m.—Gene James's Rose Room Bowl orchestra.

COAL RATES

Washington, March 30.—Although reports are current of a move by United States railways to cut coal rates, to nullify the effect of the Canadian budget cut on bituminous coal no official move to that end has been made before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

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BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and Bunty's Cake

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By HOWARD R. GARIS

One day Baby Bunty, the cute little rabbit girl, ran over to Uncle Wiggily's hollow stump bungalow. She opened the door just as Nurse Jane, Fuzzy Wuzzy was taking from the oven a chocolate cake which the muskrat lady had baked.

"Oh, may I please have a piece of chocolate cake?" asked Bunny politely.

Nurse Jane was about to say that she didn't like to cut a cake fresh from the oven, and she was going to add something about cake not being

"I'll get it up for you."

good for little rabbit girls, when Uncle Wiggily himself came out into the kitchen.

"What is that which smells so good?" he asked.

"Chocolate cake," answered Nurse Jane.

"Oh, may I have a piece?" asked the bunny gentleman.

Of course, Miss Fuzzy Wuzzy could not very well refuse to give Uncle Wiggily a piece of cake, for it was his, anyhow. And when she cut a slice for the bunny uncle she could not very well help cutting a piece for Baby Bunty. So, after all, the little rabbit girl got what she wanted.

"Oh, thank you, Nurse Jane!" Bunty said as she took her pieces of cake. "And you, also, Uncle Wiggily, for this kindness." Then, after trying to make her little pink nose twinkle like Uncle Wiggily's larger nose, Baby Bunty hopped out of the hollow stump bungalow with her piece of chocolate cake. But she had not long been outside before she came hopping in again, though without the cake.

"Oh, Bunty!" exclaimed Uncle Wiggily, who was eating his own piece of cake. "Did you swallow yours so quickly and greedily?"

"Oh, no, Uncle Wiggily, answered Bunty. "I didn't eat all my cake—only a little nibble from it. But I saw Jackie Bow Wow, and he didn't have any chocolate cake, so I gave him mine, and please could I have another piece, Nurse Jane?"

"Of course you may!" cried Uncle Wiggily. "Baby Bunty is kind and generous, Nurse Jane. Give her another slice of cake—a larger one this time."

Bunty went outside with her second piece of cake, but soon she came hopping in again without it.

"Dear me, Bunty!" said Uncle Wiggily, "I hope you weren't greedy this time—eating that large slice of cake so quickly."

"Oh, no, Uncle Wiggily!" said Bunty, "I had only taken a nibble when I saw Johnnie Bushtail, and he had no cake, so I gave him mine. And please could I have another piece?"

"Of course!" exclaimed the bunny uncle. "Baby Bunty was kind and generous, Nurse Jane. Give her another slice, larger than before."

Nurse Jane didn't say anything, but she looked at Bunty sort of queer-like as she cut the third slice of cake and gave it to the little rabbit girl.

Well, Bunty hopped outside the bungalow to eat her cake, but soon she came in without it, and Uncle Wiggily was again going to ask if she had been greedy and had eaten too quickly, when Bunty said:

"I didn't eat my cake, and I didn't give it away. But I dropped it down a big hole outside! Oh, Uncle Wiggily, please come out and get my nice chocolate cake up out of the hole!"

"Well, what will happen next?" murmured Nurse Jane. But Uncle Wiggily hopped outside and, looking down into a hole he had dug to set a fence post in when the weather got warmer, he saw Bunty's piece of cake on the bottom.

"I'll get it up for you," he kindly offered. First he put a stick down in the hole, but that only brought the cake up a little yay before it slipped off. The bunny gentleman next tried the hoe, but the cake fell off that when nearly at the top. But with the rake Uncle Wiggily lifted Bunty's cake up out of the hole. And what do you think was sticking to the chocolate side of the cake? A penny! Yes, sir, a penny!

"Oh, what good luck!" cried Bunty. "I lost my cake, but I got it back and a penny, too! I wonder who lost the penny?"

"I did," said a voice, and there stood Jimmie Wibblewobble the duck. "I dropped my penny down that hole yesterday," he quacked, "but I couldn't get it up." However, the penny was now found, so Jimmie spent it for a lollypop and gave Bunty some and she gave the boy duck a bit of her chocolate cake and thus both were happy.

And if the face of the clock doesn't laugh at the pitcher of cream and turn it into sour milk, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily's wind waggle.

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Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, March 30 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—Some sharp price declines were established in several of the leading industrial shares during to-day's session. The general market, however, recovered in the final trading and the tone at the close was steady. A sharp decline in the grain market induced some fresh selling in stocks and professionals bearishly inclined were very aggressive on the selling side in the afternoon trading. The news over the week-end and during the session to-day was not of a disturbing character, although some trade reviews point to a slowing down in some lines of trade. In the last month or so the stock market has been subjected to a severe liquidation movement and at the same time there has been considerable selling by large professionals entertaining bearish ideas. As a result of the foregoing there has been a sharp transformation in the technical status of the market, and it is our opinion that prices in many departments have been carried out of bounds on the down side just the same as the excessive bulls speculation of a while ago carried prices out of bounds on the upside. We think the general market is resting on a firmer foundation than has been the case for several months and at the same time incline to the view that fundamentals are of sufficient strength to warrant advising the purchase of the standard issues at going levels.

New York, March 30 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's direct Wall Street wire).—The Wall Street Journal's stock market edition to-day says: Stocks were subjected to another selling drive in to-day's session following a further severe drop in May wheat which plunged four cents below its bottom price of $1.51 a bushel touched on the previous break. This renewed decline forced heavy liquidation of stocks over Western wires for the account of traders in the grain pit whose margins were impaired. Selling from this source set a precipitous downward movement in progress on the stock exchange, which resulted in new lows in active stocks throughout the list.

Rails were under pressure. Steel common reached a new low for the year, off more than six points from last week's high. C. and O. and Frisco common were sold following the announcement of ratification by the stockholders of the Nickel Plate plan. Rock Island was a feature of special weakness among the carriers, reaching new low ground on the movement at 41⅝. Some of the selling was based on the road's unfavorable showing for February. Net operating income for the period was $1,095,952 against $1,530,000 in February.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, March 30 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's Direct Pit Wire)—Wheat closed 10⅝ to 3⅝ cents lower, May leading in the decline. Lower cable reports, of light scattered rains in the southwest and disappointment in the decrease of the visible supply led to rather general selling, which uncovered stops on the way down. Buying power was very limited. Liquidation has been very thorough apparently, and we feel friendly to the buying side on this break as Winter wheat crop news is none too good, and the break has put us in a better position for export business.

Corn: Scattered interests sold due principally to the weakness in wheat and continued slow demand from the East. Local arrivals were a little heavier. Chicago stocks liberal, and we continue in the belief that the May delivery is in a weak position.

Oats: No special news aside from the weakness in other grains. Scattered interests on both sides with longs fair sellers. Supplies in all positions are unusually heavy, and there is no particular encouragement to offer holders.

Chicago, March 30.—By R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)—Wheat: In company with stack and commodity markets generally wheat slumped badly to-day, long liquidation, eastern selling pressure with an extremely limited demand causing a general price crumbling. The export demand was moderate, and foreign cables were weak with continental demand reported much reduced. Visible stocks did not decrease as much as expected at 2,069,000 bushels, but local stocks were reduced 532,000 bushels with total here now only 4,217,000. The weakness at Winnipeg had a great deal to do with the slump in prices. Prices are now the lowest since last Fall. It would seem that if Europe needs wheat as badly as claimed that export business should develop on this break. Market is unsettled with confidence of buyers much impaired. A nervous market for a few days is indicated.

Corn: News generally was not specially bearish, but on the other hand the weakness in other grains checked buying, and corn prices had a big smash. On the break buying was a little more active. Sales for shipments were 72,000 bushels. Visible decreased 2,227,000. Cash prices steady to a little lower, and country offerings light. The shipping demand must broaden considerably to afford a buying basis, but would not care to press the selling side.

Oats: Showed a big loss, although the decrease in the visible was 2,279,000 with cash sales of 91,000. The main factor was the weakness in other grains. The market at this level should be entitled to support on the dips as the present price is on the bais of ordinary years.

Rye: Export business of fair proportions failed to stimulate speculative buying of rye except as hedges were bought in. Russia bought considerable rye according to the seaboard. With wheat weak, however, the market is likely to follow the big pits.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	157	158-2	144-6	146-4
July	142	142-6	133-4	136-4
Corn—				
May	109-4	110-7	105-6	107-2
July	113-6	114-1	109-4	110-6
Oats—				
May	42-7	44-2	40-6	41-1
July	45-5	46	41-1	43-1

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, MARCH 30, 1925

(Supplied by two local stockbrokers over direct New York wire)

	High	Low	Last
Allis Chalmers	75-6	74-7	74-7
Allied Chem.	82-1	80-2	80-2
Am. Beet Sugar	39-6	39	39-6
Am. Bosch Mag.	27	26-5	26-5
Am. Can	167	159-6	160-2
Am. Car & Fdy.	196-5	195	195
Am. Intl. Corp.	32-3	32-3	32-3
Am. Linseed	20-6	20-6	20-6
Am. Locomotive	123-2	121-6	122-4
Am. Ship & Com.	11	11	11
Am. Smelters	93-1	90-7	91-3
Am. Steel Fdy.	43-4	43-4	43-4
Am. Sugar	62	61-4	61-4
Am. Sum. Tob.	13	13	13
Am. Tel. & Tel.	133-2	133-1	133-2
Am. Tobacco	87	86-7	86-7
Am. Woolens	38-7	38-1	38-5
Anaconda	36-5	36-2	36-2
Atlantic Gulf	34-1	33-5	34-1
Atchison	117-7	117-1	117-1
Baldwin Loco.	111-4	108-5	109-2
Baltimore & Ohio	74	72-1	72-1
Bethlehem Steel	40-6	40	40-6
Brooklyn Manhattan	35-6	35-6	35-6
California Packing	102-4	102-4	102-4
California Pete.	28-4	27-5	27-7
Can. Pacific	138-4	136-6	138-4
Cerro de Pasco	43-6	43-4	43-6
Central Leather	15-2	15-2	15-2
Chandler	34-1	33-1	33-1
Chesapeake & Ohio	92	89-6	89-6
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	6-4	6	6-5
Do., pref.	9-7	9-7	9-7
Chic. & Northwest	54-4	53	54
Chic., R.I. & Pac.	44-3	41-2	41-2
Chile Copper	31-2	30-6	30-6
Chino Copper	20-2	20-2	20-2
Coco Cola	90-7	90-5	90-6
Colo. Fuel & Iron	33-2	33-2	33-2
Columbia Gas	54-2	54-2	54-2
Cons. Gas	75-3	74-4	74-4
Cont. Can	61	61	61
Corn Products	38-7	38-7	38-7
Cosden Oil	27-2	27-2	27-3
Cuba Am. Sugar	29-1	29-1	29-1
Cuba C. Sugar	12-6	12-6	12-6
Crucible Steel	67-2	66	66-2
Davison Chem.	32	32	33
Del. Lack. & West.	128	126	127
Dupont Powder	141	139-3	139-3
Endicott Johnson	64-2	64-2	64-3
Erie	28-6	29-2	28-6
Do., 1st pref.	37	36-4	36-5
Famous Players	93	92	92
General Asphalt	45-6	44	44
General Cigar	93-4	93-4	93-4
Gen. Electric	264-4	256-6	259
Gen. Motors	69	68-6	68-7
Goodrich Rubber	52	51	51-2
Granby	16	16	16
Great North. Ore	33-6	33-6	33-6
Great North., pref.	61-5	61	61
Gulf States Steel	68-4	68	68-2
Houston Oil	64-1	64-1	64-1
Illinois Central	112	112	112
Inspiration	22-7	22-7	22-7
Int. Bus. Machine	113-7	113-7	113-7
Int. Comb. Eng.	36	34-7	35-4
Int. Mer. Marine	11-7	11-3	11-3
Do., pref.	41	41	41
Int. Nickel	26-2	25-2	26-2
Kan. City South.	30-6	30-6	30-6
Kennicott Copper	47-1	46-5	47
Kelly Springfield	13-5	13-2	13-2
Keystone Tire	2-2	2-2	2-2
Lehigh Valley	71	71	71
Lehigh Val. Coal	37	36-6	36-6
Lorillard	33-7	33-6	33-6
Louisiana Oil	15-2	15-1	15-1
Louis. & Nash.	107	107	107
Mack Truck	124-4	123	123
Marland Oil	34-2	33-7	34-3
Maxwell A.	87-1	87	87
Maxwell B.	56	54-3	55-4
Mex. Seaboard	12-1	12-1	12-1
Miami	11	11	11
Midvale Steel	26	26	26
Miss Pacific	33	32	32-4
Do., pref.	74-4	73	73
Montana Power	66-2	66-2	66-2
Montgomery Ward	42-4	41-7	41-7
Moon Motor	24	24	24
Motherlode	6-7	6-7	6-7
National Biscuit	66	66	66
National Enamel	31-2	31-2	31-2
National Lead	142-4	140-4	141
Nevada Cons.	13-5	13-5	13-5
Norfolk & West.	127	125-2	125-2
North American	44-6	44-1	44-4
Northern Pacific	60-7	59-7	60-3
N.Y. Central	115	114	115
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	29-5	29-5	29-5
N.Y., Ont. & West.	21-4	21-4	21-4
Packard Motor	18-3	18-2	18-2
Pacific Oil	54-2	53-4	53-7
Pan American	78	76-2	76-4
Do., B.	78-5	76-3	78-1
Pennsylvania R.R.	45	44-7	44-7
People's Gas	115	115	115
Pere Marquette	62-7	62-7	62-7
Phil. Reading Coal	39-5	39	39-2
Phillips Pete.	37-2	36-6	36-6
Pierce Arrow	12	12	12
Pierce Pete.	6-2	6-2	6-2
Producers & Ref.	22-2	22	22-2
Pullman Co.	130-4	129-7	130
Pure Oil	26-4	25-7	25-7
Rail. Steel Spring	124	124	124
Ray Cons.	12-2	12-2	12-2
Reading	71-3	70	70-4
Rep. Iron & Steel	46-1	45-6	45-6
Royal Dutch	49-2	48-5	48-5
Savage Arms	69-4	66-3	66-4
Sears Roebuck	150	149	149
Shell Union	23-5	23	23-1
Simms Pete.	21-2	21-2	21-2
Sinclair Cons.	18-4	18-2	18-2
Sloss Sheffield	81-4	81-4	81-4
Southern Pac.	99-6	99	99-2
Southern Railway	82-3	81-3	82-3
Standard Oil Cal.	57-6	56-5	57-5
Standard Oil N.J.	39-4	38-7	38-7
Standard Oil Ind.	60-2	59-7	60-1
Stewart Warner	67-4	67	67
St. Louis & S. Fran.	65-4	64-3	64-2
St. Louis & S.W.	45	45	45
Stromburg Carb.	59	59	59
Studebaker	42-2	42	42
Tennessee Copper	7-6	7-6	7-6
Texas Co.	43-5	43-5	43-5
Texas Gulf Sulphur	103	99-3	99-5
Texas Pacific R.R.	49-7	49	49
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	13-2	13-4	13
Timken Roller	38-2	38	38
Tobacco Prod.	74	73-1	73-4
Do., A.	96-6	96-6	96-6
Transcont. Oil	4-1	4-1	4-1
Union Pacific	137-6	136-6	137-1
United Fruit	208	208	208
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	175	158	158
U.S. Ind. Alco.	80-2	79-7	80-2
U.S. Rubber	34-4	33-6	34-4
U.S. Steel	115-3	112-6	114-1
Utah Copper	83	83	83
Vanadium	26-6	26-6	26-6
Wabash	62-5	60-5	60-5
Western Union	117-4	117-4	117-4
Westing. Elec.	67	66-5	67
White Motor	58	58	58
Willys Overland	12-4	12-2	12-3
Do., pref.	85-1	85-1	85-1
Wilson Packing	9-7	9-7	9-7
Woolworth	114-1	114	114

Montreal Stocks

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	Last
Abitibi	66-6
Asbestos	56-6
Atlantic Sugar	25-3
Bell Telephone	135-5
Brompton Paper	32
Brazilian Traction	52-5
Can. Cement, com.	101-4
Do. pref.	115
Can. Car Fdy., com.	46
Do., pref.	83
Can. S.S., com.	12-2
Do., pref.	44
Can. Cottons	105-4
Can. Converters	81-4
Cons. M. & S.	63
Detroit United	
Dom. Bridge	85
Dom. Canners	95
Dominion Glass	114
Dom. Textile	68-2
Howard Smith	26
L. of Woods Mlg.	180
Laurentide Co.	60
Mackay Co.	115-4
Montreal Power	175-6
National Breweries	46-7
Ontario Steel	44-1
Ogilvie Mlg. Co.	140-6
Ottawa Power	95
Penmans Limited	145
Shawinigan	135
Spanish River Pulp	105
Do. pref.	116
Steel of Can.	85-3
Twin City Elec.	63
Wayagamac Pulp	46

NEW YORK COTTON
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	24.43	24.53	24.22	24.37
July	24.75	24.78	24.50	24.66
Oct.	24.10	24.19	23.92	24.11
Dec.	24.41	24.41	23.93	24.11
Jan.	23.43	23.96	23.62	23.92

SILVER

New York, March 30.—Bar silver, 67⅝; Mexican dollars, 51⅝.

London, March 30.—Bar silver, 31⅝d. per ounce. Money, 4⅝ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 4⅝ to 4 7-16 per cent.; three months' bills, 4⅛ to 4 9-16 per cent.

SUGAR

New York, March 30.—Raw sugar, 4.65; refined, 5.80 to 6.00.

C.N.R. EARNINGS DROP

Montreal, March 30.—Canadian Pacific Railway earnings for the month of February:

Earnings, $11,786,710; expenses, $10,632,009; net, $1,154,700; increase, $76,851; decrease in gross, $1,296,412.

Canadian Earthquake Stories

On the sketch above are indicated the two faults known to geologists which might have been the cause of the recent earthquake in Ontario. One runs along the northern bank of the St. Lawrence in the neighborhood of Quebec. The other is supposed to be under the Gulf of Maine on the Eastern Atlantic seaboard. The diagram of circles s Dr. Young's record of an earthquake on July 7, 1920, and shows the process whereby it was estimated to have occurred near Victoria, in Latitude 59 minutes 46 seconds North and Longitude 140 West. All that is required is the measured distance of three or four reliable observations from the cause of the disturbance found from their seismograph records. First of all any large circle is drawn, and its centre taken as the North Pole. The meridians of the observations are then run through the circumference of the circle to the North Pole.

Retail Market

Vegetables

Garlic, lb.	$ .25
Cauliflowers	.25 to .30
Parsley, bunch	.05
Radish, bunch	.10
Local Potatoes, 7 lbs. for	.25
Ashcroft Potatoes, per sack	2.00
Local Potatoes, per sack	2.90
Sweet Potatoes, 2 lbs. for	.25
California Head Lettuce, each	.15
Artichokes, per lb.	.05
Mint	.05
Carrots, 8 lbs. for	.25
Leeks, per bunch	.05
Fresh Celery, stick	.15 and .20
Beets, 7 lbs. for	.25
Local Rhubarb, 2 lbs.	.25
California Cabbage, per lb.	.08
Spinach, per lb.	.13
Brussels Sprouts, per lb.	.15
Mexican Tomatoes, per lb.	.40
Fresh Green Peas, per lb.	.30
Fresh Cucumbers, each	.20
Fresh Artichookes, each	.20
Fresh Asparagus, per lb.	.25

Fruit

Apples—	
Delicious, per lb.	.10
Winesap, box	4.25
Newton Pippin, box	3.25
Ben Davies, box	3.25
Table Raisins, Spanish	.45 and .75
Grapes, per lb.	.37
Dates, per lb.	.13
Bananas, per lb.	.15
Lemons, Cal., doz.	.20, .30 and .40
Prunes, 2 lbs. for .25, 3 lbs. for .35, 3 lbs. for .45, and, lb.	.30
Turban Dates, packet	.15
Florida Grapefruit, each	.15 and .10
Grapefruit, California, 4 for	.25
Navel Oranges, per dozen, .60, .50, .40, .30 and	.20
Washington Pears, per dozen	.60
Local Apples, 4 lbs. for	.35

Nut

Almonds, per lb.	.35
Walnuts, per lb.	.35
California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb.	.45
Brazils per lb.	.35
Filberts, per lb.	.30
Roasted Peanuts, per lb.	.15
Cocoanuts	.10 and .15
Chestnuts, lb.	.35

Dairy Produce and Eggs

Butter—	
No. 1 Alberta, lb.	.42
Comox, lb.	.50
V.I.M.P.A.	.50
Cowichan Creamery, lb.	.50
Salt Spring Island, lb.	.50
Pure Lard, lb.	.24
Eggs—	
B.C. fresh, extras	.36
B.C. fresh, firsts	.34
B.C. fresh, pullets	.32

Cheese

B.C. Cream Cheese, lb.	.45
B.C. Solids, lb.	.27
Finest Ontario Mild, per lb.	.28
Finest Ontario Matured, per lb.	.35
Edam Dutch Cheese, per lb.	.45
Gouda Cheese, per lb.	.45
Gorgonzola, per lb.	.75
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	.65
English Stilton, jar	.90
English Stiltons, lb.	.25
Canadian Stiltons, lb.	.35
Imported Roquefort, per lb.	.85
Swiss Gruyere, box	.65
Eagle Brand Camembert, box	.55
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese, two packages	.75

Fish

Bloaters, 2 lbs.	.25
Cod Fillets, per lb.	.20
Halibut, per lb.	.25
Soles, lb.	.15
Black Cod, fresh, per lb.	.15
Skate, per lb.	.10
Cod, per lb.	.15
Kippers, per lb.	.15
Finnan Haddies, per lb.	.20
Smoked Black Cod, per lb.	.35
Whiting, per lb.	.15
Smoked Salmon, per lb.	.40
White Spring Salmon	.25
Scotch Haddies, per lb.	.25
Herring, per lb.	.10
Smelts, per lb.	.25

Shell Fish

Crabs	.15, .20 to .25
Shrimps, per lb.	.35
Esquimalt Oysters, per dozen	.65
Olympia Oysters, per pint	.90

Fresh Meats

Pork—	
Trimmed loins, per lb.	.40
Legs, per lb.	.35
Shoulder roasts, per lb.	.28
Pork Sausages, per lb.	.30
No. 1 Beef—	
Sirloin steak, per lb.	.32
Round steak, per lb.	.22
Pot roasts, per lb.	.12
Rump roasts, per lb.	.25
Lamb—	
Shoulders, per lb.	.32
Legs, per lb.	.45
Loins, full, per lb.	.38
Prime Mutton—	
Shoulders, per lb.	.24
Legs, per lb.	.35
Loins, full, per lb.	.32

Flour

Flour, all standard brands, 49s	2.70
Flour, pastry, 49s	2.55

Feed

	Per ton	Per sack
Wheat, No. 1	$67.00	$3.40
Wheat, No. 2	62.00	3.20
Scratch	58.00	3.00
Whole Barley	48.00	2.50
Whole Corn	56.00	2.90
Cracked Corn	58.00	3.00
Feed Cornmeal	58.00	3.00
Shorts	40.00	2.10
Bran	38.00	2.00
Alfalfa Hay	28.00	....
Clover Hay	25.00	....

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

New York, March 30.—Foreign exchanges firm. Quotations in cents. Great Britain — Demand 477⅝; cables 478; sixty-day bills on banks 474⅝.

France — Demand 5.34; cables 5.34½.
Italy—Demand 4.11½; cables 4.12.
Belgium—Demand 5.15½.
Germany—Demand 23.80.
Holland—Demand 39.82.
Norway—Demand 15.82.
Sweden—Demand 26.93.
Denmark—Demand 18.83.
Switzerland—Demand 19.28.
Spain—Demand 14.28.
Greece—Demand 1.58.
Poland—Demand 19¼.
Czecho-Slovakia—Demand 2.96⅛.
Austria—Demand .0014¼.
Rumania—Demand .47.
Argentina—Demand 38.62.
Brazil—Demand 10.90.
Tokio—Demand 41⅝.
Shanghai—Demand 74.
Montreal—Demand 99 15-16.

$10,000 HAUL

Chicago, March 30.—Four robbers, one of whom carried a sawed-off shotgun, held up seven officials and employees of the Ashland Sixty-third Street State Bank to-day and escaped with currency estimated at between $10,000 and $15,000.

MAN DROWNED IN CREEK OF ALBERTA

Drumheller, Alta., March 30.—W. Law of Wayne, timekeeper at the Weston Commercial Mine, was drowned Saturday. He was walking along the banks of Rosebud Creek, which had just broken up, and the bank, composed of rotten snow, gave way and he fell into the river. The body has not been found.

There is an enduring tenderness in love of a mother to a son, that transcends all other affections of the heart. —Washington Irving.

Nature has caprices which Art cannot imitate. —Lord Macauley.

Wholesale Market

Meats

No. 1 Steer Beef	.13½
Cow Beef	.11½
Lamb	.32
Mutton	.24
Hogs	.20

Eggs

Fresh, extras, case lots, dozen	.32
Fresh, firsts, case lots, dozen	.30
Pullets, case lots, dozen	.28

Butter

Prints, special cartons	.40
Prints, No. 1	.39
Prints, No. 2	.38
Dairy solids	.29
Dairy prints	.30

Cheese

B.C. large, lb.	.21
B.C. triplets, lb.	.22
Alberta solids, lb., new	.23
Ontario solids, lb.	.25
Ontario twins, lb.	.25½
Ontario triplets, lb.	.26
Ontario Stiltons, lb.	.30

Lard

Tierces, per lb.	.21½
Compound, tierces, lb.	.17

Vegetables

Beets, per sack	M.P.
Cabbage, per lb.	M.P.
Carrots, per sack	M.P.
Cauliflower, dozen	M.P.
Head Lettuce, local, crate	M.P.
Onions, Okanagan, per lb	.03½
Onions, Yakima Spanish (sack) lb.	.04
Potatoes, sack	1.75 to 2.00
Potatoes, dry belt, white, per sack	M.P.
Potatoes, dry belt, Gems, per sack	M.P.
Sweet Potatoes, per basket	5.25
Turnips, sack	M.P.
Parsnips, sack	M.P.
Tomatoes, hothouse, No. 1	M.P.
Tomatoes, hothouse, No. 2	M.P.

Fruits

Apples—	
Winesaps	M.P.
Yellow Newtons	M.P.
Sano	M.P.
Salome	M.P.
Bananas, lb.	.12
Lemons, case	5.75 to 6.75
Oranges, new navels, according to size, per case	3.00 to 5.50
Grapes—	
Almeria, sawdust lugs	4.75
Grapefruit—	
Florida	6.00 to 6.50
Cal. Sunkist	4.25 to 5.00
Pears, cooking, per box	2.00

VICTORY BONDS

VICTORIA PRICES

	Buy Per $100	Sell Per $100
Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free		
1927 1st June and December	102.50	103.50
1933 1st May and November	106.10	107.10
1937 1st June and December	108.65	109.65
War Loan 5%—Tax Free		
1925 1st June and December	100.30	101.30
1931 1st April and October	101.75	102.75
1937 1st March and Sept.	103.75	104.75
(Payable New York) **Victory Loan, 5½%**		
1927 1st May and November	101.65	102.65
1933 1st May and November	103.10	104.10
1934 1st May and November	103.50	104.50
Dominion Loan, 5%		
1930 15th April and October	100.50	101.50
1943 15th April and October	101.80	102.80
1944 15th April and October	96.00	97.00
1954 1st Feb. and Aug. (C.N.R.)	....	101.90

Add accrued interest to date: 1927, 1937 119 days, $1.793 per $100; 1927, 1933, 1933, 1934, 149 days, $2.245 per $100; 1925, 1943, 166 days, $2.274 per $100; 1944, 166 days, $2.046 per $100.

WHEAT MARKET COLLAPSES AGAIN

Winnipeg, March 30.—On a market completely disorganized wheat prices here to-day collapsed 16⅛ cents before the panicky recession was checked, the May future establishing a new low mark in many months at $1.44⅞. Prices recovered part of the loss shortly before the close of the session, May finishing at $1.49⅞, a decline of 11⅛. July down 10 cents at $1.49½, while October at $1.29 was relatively steadier, losing 4⅜ cents.

All the coarse grain markets suffered in the downward movement.

Flax dropped 7¼; rye 9⅜; barley 4¼ and oats 2⅛.

To-day's session was a repetition of the bearish markets of the last two months. Liquidations poured in from all quarters, but this flood of selling orders now practically was ignored. All statistics contributed to weak sentiment.

Winnipeg, Man., March 30 (By R. P. Clark & Co. Ltd.)—Wheat: The market was extremely heavy throughout to-day's session, with heavy liquidation going on in all markets, especially American and Argentine and before the decline was checked Winnipeg May wheat had sunk to $1.44⅞ or over 16 cents down from the close on Saturday. During the closing moment there was some short covering in evidence with bears taking profits, which caused prices to react, and finally figures for May wheat were 11⅛ cents down, July 10 cents down and October 4⅜ cents lower. Reflecting the decided weakness at Liverpool the market opened sharply lower and there appeared to be scattered liquidation of long wheat but a little buying appeared and prices firmed up, but it was only temporary as the buying was not of the best and quite thin and weakness appearing at Chicago, prices declined steadily, resulting in one of the heaviest breaks of this erratic season. Although prices recovered about four cents the market was not strong at the close and it would not be surprising to see them work still lower this week, although liquidation of long wheat must be pretty well over. Sentiment continues decidedly bearish and the market will sink of its own weight unless export business broadens very materially. It was generally admitted to-day that most of the selling was coming from Eastern and European interests who were throwing their long lines overboard, giving evidence of being tired of holding for higher levels. Seaboard reported that export sales were almost nil over the week-end and that foreign importers were showing no interest. Statistics were somewhat bearish, the U.S. visible only showing a decrease of a little over 2,000,000 bushels, while the stock on passage only decreased about 1,000,000 bushels with world's shipments for the past week at 15,016,000, a decrease of 2,619,000 bushels from the previous week. The cash demand for wheat continued poor but at prices around 150 the market should be on debatable ground.

Winnipeg, March 30 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's Direct Pit Wire).—Exporters did very little business over week-end and consequently support in market was very light. After opening fairly steady wheat became demoralized on continued liquidation by long holders. Wheat has few friends and no one seems prepared to take a position at present and shorts press sales at every opportunity. The news to-day certainly did not warrant the decline but until confidence is registered impossible to forcast trend of market.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	158	160⅝	144⅞	149⅞
July	157½	158⅝	145	149½
Oct.	132½	134	127	129
Oats—				
May	50⅛	50⅝	48	48¼
July	52⅝	52½	50	50⅛
Oct.	50⅝	50⅝	45	48⅛
Barley—				
May	79⅝	80	75½	75⅝
July	80⅝	80⅝	72⅝	72½
Oct.	71½	72	68⅞	72
Flax—				
May	238	239½	230	232⅝
July	239	239⅝	231	233½
Oct.	215	215	213	214
Rye—				
May	123⅝	123⅝	115¼	115⅝
July	122	123	114⅝	115⅝
Oct.				100

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 Nor., 149⅝; 2 Nor., 144⅝; 3 Nor., 140⅝; No. 4, 129⅝; No. 5, 117⅝; No. 6, 105⅝; feed, 84⅝; track, 149⅝.
Oats—2 C.W., 47¼; 3 C.W., 44; extra 1 feed, 44; 1 feed, 43; 2 feed, 38; rejected, 32¼; track, 47⅛.
Barley—3 C.W., 74⅛; 4 C.W., 69; rejected, 65; feed, 60⅝; track, 74¼.
Flax—1 N.W.C., 231¼; 2 C.W., 226¼; 3 C.W., 218⅝; rejected, 218⅝; track, 231¼.
Rye—2 C.W., 113⅝.

VICTORIA STOCKS

	Bid	Asked
Mining—		
B.C. Silver	$ 1.00	..
Boundary Red M't'n	.10	..
Bowena Copper	..	.10
Consolidated M. & S.	..	62.00
Cork Province	.05	..
Douglas Channel	..	.03
Dunwell Mines	3.50	4.25
Eldorado	..	.40
Glacier Creek	.25	.31
Granby	18.00	..
Hazelton Gold Cobalt	..	.02
Hemlock Creek Placer	..	.05
Howe Sound	2.75	3.50
Independence	.17	.22
Indian Mines	.10	.13
International Coal	..	.15
L. & L. Glacier	.20	..
McGillivray Coal	..	.75
Premier Mines	..	2.35
Rufus	..	.21
Sheep Creek Cons.	..	.00½
Silver Crest Mines	.17½	.25
Silversmith	..	.28
Standard Silver Lead	..	.20
Sunloch Mines	.24	.35
Surf Inlet Gold	.07	..
Terminus	..	.60
Phoenix	.24	.26
Oils—		
British Petroleum	..	.20
Empire Oil	..	.00½
Mapleleaf	..	.50
Spartan Oil	..	.00½
Sweetgrass	..	.00⅝
Trojan Oil	.01½	.06
B.C. Montana	..	.00½
Miscellaneous—		
Amal. Appliance	..	.36
B.C. Permanent Loan	99.50	..
Canada National Fire	..	30.00
Great West Perm. Loan	..	20.00
Gregory Tire & Rubber	..	3.00

Sales

1,000	Indian	.10
1,000	Phoenix	.25
500	Phoenix	.24

Money Market To-day

New York, March 30.—Call money firm; high 5; low 4½; ruling rate 4½; closing bid 5; offered at 5¼; last loan 5; call loans against acceptances 3⅛.

Time loans firm; mixed collateral 60-90 days 4 @ 4¼; 4-6 months 4¼.

Prime commercial paper 4 per cent.

New York, March 30 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's Direct Wire)—Except for higher call rate, renewing at 4½ per cent, there is no change in money market conditions. Firmness in call money is due chiefly to usual end of month requirements, which always draw down New York balances owned at interior points. There is a movement of funds from New York and the larger centres to the small country banks for early agricultural requirements. For the present at least this flow to the farming districts is without the slightest effect on rates because there is no great demand for money in either manufacturing or commercial lines. Time money against stock exchange collateral is steady at 4 per cent. for all but the longer dates. Commercial paper is quiet and volume outstanding shows no sign of increasing. Prime names are steady at 4 per cent. unchanged since March 1.

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$20,000	Revelstoke	5½% due 1934	99.27	5.60%
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BAILEY—On March 29, at Jubilee Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Bailey, 1631 Pembroke Street, a daughter.

DAVIE—To Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Davie (nee Janet Barr), at St. Joseph's Hospital, March 30, a son.

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ANOTHER big dance, Rex Theatre, Esquimalt, Thursday, April 2. Holt's orchestra. Admission 55c. 1049-4-79

BIG hard times Scottish barn dance, under auspices Knights and Dames of the Thistle, 8.30 p.m., Tuesday, March 31, in K. of P. Hall. Big night assured. Proceeds for relief. Come all. 6266-3-77

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COURT whist drive to-night, 1230 Government Street. $5 highest score; other scrip prizes. 8.30. 25c. 6259-1-76

FRIDAY, April 3, Amputation Club semi-monthly invitation dance. Refreshments. Parker's 4-piece orchestra. Dancing 9-1. 6251-4-79

INTERNATIONAL FOOTBALL — Washington All Stars v. Veteran All Stars. Athletic Park, Good Friday, 3.15 sharp. Admission 25 cents. Tickets obtained at Ex-Service Clubs. Come and boost your home team. 6224-3-86

MARINE Engineers will hold a smoker in Association Rooms, Union Bank Bldg., on Monday, March 30. All engineers invited. 6215-3-76

MILITARY five hundred and dance, Conservative Rooms, Campbell Bldg., Monday, March 30. Eighteen scrip prizes and special prize $5. 8.30. 25c. 6237-3-76

ROYAL Astronomical Society of Canada, Victoria Centre, Tuesday, March 31, 8 p.m., at Victoria College. Mr. W. H. Christie will speak on the four planets, Mercury, Venus, Earth and Mars. The lecture will be illustrated. The public are cordially invited. 6205-1-76

COMING EVENTS (Continued)

SAANICH Conservative Association will hold a meeting St. Mark's Hall, Boleskine Road, Tuesday, March 31, 8.30. Mr. Poole and Mr. Coventry will speak. 6244-3-77

SONS and Daughters of St. George, Gingham Dance, Caledonia Hall, Tuesday, March 31, from 9 to 1. Admission: Gents 50c, Ladies 25c. Refreshments. Joe Parker's 4-piece orchestra. "Come and get your fool's cap." 6229-3-77

THE Amputation Club military five hundred and dance, Belmont Bldg., Wednesday, April 1, 8.30 p.m. Fourteen scrip prizes. Four-piece orchestra. Admission 25c. 6251-3-78

V.A.S.C.—The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club will be held at the Y.M.C.A. on Wednesday, April 1, at 8 p.m. 6239-3-77

$19.50 SCRIP—Sons of Canada military five hundred dance, Tuesday, 8.30. $5 first table and good special. Admission 25c. 6050-3-77

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Royal Oak, B.C., March 27, 1925.

INVENTS RADIO CONTROL—Alfred Starr, a promising young Ontario inventor, who has been granted a patent for a special radio boat control system which he successfully demonstrated in Toronto last year.

RODEOS LIKENED TO BULLFIGHTS OF SPAIN

Chicago, March 30.—The only reason or excuse for the rodeo is "to entertain a sensation-loving crowd, indifferent to anything except being entertained and, when aroused, a blood-thirsty one," says a statement of E. K. Whitehead of the Colorado Bureau of Child and Animal Protection, issued here by George A. H. Scott, chairman of a committee named by the American Humane Association to study ways and means of eliminating the practice. For the brutes "there is nothing except unwillingness, force, fear, suffering and often death."

"Every spectator at a rodeo is the worse for being one," declares the statement, "as he is a little harder, a little more ruthless, a little more indifferent to the suffering of other creatures, a little more reconciled to injustice, to cruelty, to the pain and blood of helpless creatures."

The need of rough riding and bucking horses has gone, and the need of catching and holding cattle has been developed far beyond the requirements of its original usefulness, continues the statement, which points out that most of the stunts of the rodeo to-day were never performed on the old cattle ranges, and many never at all.

MEN OFTEN INJURED

"In some of the other features of the average rodeo there is less chance for suffering or injury, but in none of it is there anything but fear and pain and sometimes death for the unfortunate dumb animals," says Mr. Whitehead. "Men also are often injured in the violence between man and beast. But the man can choose, can do as he likes and is not forced in any way. He has, beside, the pleasure of exhibiting his skill, his chance at the prizes offered.

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MAY RESIGN — Premier Theunes of Belgium who will resign on April 5 according to dispatches from Brussels.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Estate of John Benjamin Hamilton Rickaby, Deceased,
and
In the Matter of the "Administration Act.

Notice is hereby given that under an Order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Murphy, dated the 11th day of March, A.D. 1925, I, the undersigned, was appointed Administrator of the Estate of the above named Deceased. All parties having claims against the said Estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 30th day of April, A.D. 1925, and all parties indebted to the said Estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 30th day of March, A.D. 1925.

R. L. COX,
Official Administrator.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

Notice of Application for Beer License

Notice is hereby given that, on the 27th day of April next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a license in respect of premises being part of the building known as the Coach and Horses Hotel, situate at 1350 Esquimalt Road, Esquimalt District, upon the lands described as part Sub-Lot 36, Esquimalt Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

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A STORY WITHOUT WORDS

Bed Wanted for Sick Woman.—The Friendly Help Association is making an appeal for a single bed, with mattress and bedding, for the use of a poor woman who is coming out of hospital this week after a severe operation. Anyone willing to donate the same is requested to communicate with telephone No. 4640.

HUMORS OF HISTORY

By ARTHUR MORELAND

Cursed at His Coronation

From 941 to 978 there were six kings of England; they are known as "The Boy Kings." They came and went with tragic rapidity. The fifth, Edward the Martyr, was stabbed by order of Elfride, whose son, Ethelred succeeded him. Dunstan, now Archbishop of Canterbury, cursed him as he crowned him.

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T. D'Arcy McGee Anniversary Event

Ottawa, March 30 (Canadian Press)—The anniversary of the birth of Thomas D'Arcy McGee, April 13, 1825, is to be nationally celebrated this year, one of the leaders in the movement to honor the patriot being Hon. Charles Murphy, Postmaster-General. Thomas D'Arcy McGee met a tragic death on April 7, 1868. He was one of the Fathers of Confederation and an intimate friend of Sir John A. Macdonald. McGee was born in County Louth, Ireland, in 1825 of poor parents. As a young man he was incensed at the woes of Ireland and became a bitter antagonist of England. At the age of seventeen years he emigrated to New York, where his talents as an orator and journalist soon brought him to the front. When he was twenty years of age he returned to Ireland and became editor of the Dublin Freeman's Journal, and later The Nation. His association with the agitators, Charles Gavin Duffey and Smith O'Brien, let him into trouble and he was obliged to flee from Ireland disguised as a priest. He came to New York and started a paper called The Nation. During his lecturing tours in Canada he was induced to take up his residence in Montreal in 1857, where he published The New Era." Here he met John A. Macdonald and they joined forces to bring about Confederation. McGee became a member of the Macdonald Cabinet and an ardent Imperialist.

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HEBRIDEAN COLONY PLAN SUCCESSFUL

Scottish Immigration Aid Society Has Ambitious Plans

The settlement of Hebrideans in Western Canada has been one of the most satisfactory phases of Dominion colonization in recent years, regarded from all the various viewpoints. Canadian authorities have observed with the utmost satisfaction the rapid and complete assimilation of these island people in a strange environment and unfamiliar conditions, and the speedy manner in which they developed into productive farmers and real Dominion assets. The delegation from the Hebrides, headed by the Very Rev. Canon Macdougall, which toured the Dominion last Fall and closely investigated Hebridean settlement with a view to stimulating and expanding such colonization if found justifiable, expressed itself as completely satisfied with what had been accomplished and the happy and prosperous state of Hebridean settlers in Canada. Therefore, regarded from the standpoint of either country, any projected expansion of the migration from the Hebrides is to be viewed with gratification.

ACTIVE SOCIETY

The Scottish Immigration Aid Society was formed by a group of philanthropic individuals who were keenly appreciative of the benefits of Hebridean settlement in Canada, and were desirous of extending it to the mutual advantage of Canada and Scotland. It was financed by these individuals in conjunction with the Empire Settlement Board. The society, since its inception, has been extremely active in the matter of settling Hebridean crofters in Alberta and nursing them on to success. It introduced a novel note into Canadian colonization by erecting a number of cottages on land in Alberta for the reception, assimilation and training of newcomers from the Hebrides, where the immigrant, after traveling the thousands of miles by land and sea, instead of facing the hardships of pioneering, found a home awaiting him on arrival.

AMBITIOUS PLANS

The society's plans for 1925 are equally novel and ambitious. Recently, through taking advantage of the provisions of the Empire Settlement Act, the society was able to complete the purchase of a substantial block of land just north of Vermilion in Alberta, consisting of nearly 30,000 acres. This block is diagonally intersected by the Cut Knife-Whitford branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway, which provides convenient and adequate transportation facilities. The block is situated in an Alberta area which has of late years become widely and favorably known for the variety as well as the high excellence of its farm products. It is the society's aim to colonize this tract with Hebridean families under particularly favorable conditions.

BUILDING HOUSES

Through funds secured by participating in the terms of the Empire Settlement Act, the society is at present engaged in building houses on each quarter-section of the block. As soon as these are ready one hundred and eighty families will be brought out from Northern Scottish islands to occupy them. Everything will be found on their arrival in complete readiness, for immediate residence, and the settlers be placed many years ahead as compared with ordinary pioneer settlement. Each family will be assisted in getting farming operations under way immediately with a loan of $1,500. These arrangements, in combination with the proven qualities of application and perseverance possessed by Hebrideans, form the best augury for success.

The Scottish Immigrant Aid Society is to be congratulated on its initiative in moving to take advantage of the settlement fund made available by the Imperial Government to continue its valuable work in Canadian colonization. In a consideration of the complete success of former Hebridean Colonization under less favorable circumstances, the scheme promises to be a very valuable contribution to Canadian agricultural settlement.

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B.C. AUTO CLUB MEMBERSHIP GROWS

New Office is Desired by Victoria Branch

An increase of twenty in the membership to date this year was reported by the secretary, R. R. Webb, at a meeting of the Victoria Branch of the Victoria Automobile Club. It was decided to recommend to the head office that a new office in one of the main streets of the city be provided.

Rev. Wm. Carroll was elected a member of the board of directors to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. R. W. Mayhew. Mr. Mayhew, while he will continue a member and supporter of the club, stated that he did not find it possible to give the club the amount of time that it deserved and therefore requested that he be allowed to withdraw from the board.

It was decided to again urge the executive to retain a solicitor to defend members in court. It is pointed out that this matter had to be very carefully considered, as it might involve large expense should cases be carried to appeal or higher courts. It was the feeling of those present that members would not expect free defence further than the police court hearing.

Mr. H. Despard Twigg stated that as chairman of the camp sites committee he had received complaints regarding some camps in the Province from visitors from outside districts. He suggested that the club request all camp officials to have placed in their respective camps complaint and suggestion books. This, it is thought, will aid greatly in bringing camp operating up to a better standard. The matter will be taken up through the provincial executive of the club.

The next meeting of the provincial executive will be held in the Express Hotel on Monday, April 20, when delegates from Vancouver, New Westminster, Vernon, Kamloops and Nanaimo, together with Victoria, will be present.

CONCERNED — Sir Edward Grigg, who declared in the British House last week that it was a matter for serious consideration that Canada and South Africa had not yet ratified the original pact with France. He considered, however, that a new form of guarantee would commend itself much more to the Dominions.

TOURIST INQUIRIES HEAVY THIS YEAR

Many Reservations For June, July and August by U.S. Parties

Winnipeg, March 30. — Tourist traffic to Canada during the coming Summer promises to be considerably in excess of recent years, according to passenger traffic department offices of the Canadian National Railways. Reservations for June, July and August by special parties in the United States, who will travel extensively in Canada are much heavier than at this time last year and the inquiries also in excess of those received during the correspondence periods of 1923 and 1924.

An interesting feature of tourist traffic to Canada this year will be tours by members of school teaching and student bodies. In the United Kingdom it is a usual procedure for teachers and students from Canada to visit Great Britain in large numbers each Summer, but it has not been customary for the teacher and students of the British Isles to return those visits. This year, however, at least three large parties of this type will visit Canada. The largest will be composed of members of the League of Empire, who will sail from Britain on the Cunard Line, to arrive at Quebec early in July for a trip across the Dominion and back over the lines of the Canadian National Railways. During this trip they will visit practically every important city between Quebec and Vancouver, as well as spending some time in Jasper Park and other playgrounds.

Two other parties will arrive in July, one composed entirely of women teachers, and the other of schoolmasters. The women will visit Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Washington, Philadelphia, and sail for England from New York. The men will visit Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, and spend several days in Algonquin Park, and then proceed to Toronto, Niagara Falls and Albany, before re-embarking on board ship at New York.

SAYS VACCINATION REGULATIONS ARE TOO ARBITRARY

Meeting Denounces Action of Provincial Board of Health

Three hundred people gathered at the Community Church on Government Street on Saturday evening to protest against the vaccination regulations issued by the Provincial Board of Health last week.

A resolution moved by Mrs. Alice Wicks was unanimously adopted by the meeting, denouncing the action of the Provincial authorities as arbitrary, unnecessary and untruthful, inasmuch as the compulsion clauses of the regulations fail to set out the statutary exemptions accorded persons making affidavit of objection.

David Leeming occupied the chair at 8 o'clock. Dr. Clem Davies was unable to take part in the discussions. John Carey told of his experiences in a recent English outbreak, declaring that the alleged smallpox was nothing more severe than chickenpox. The same condition exists to-day in Vancouver, he considered.

WOODWARD TALKS

Alderman Woodward spoke for nearly two hours, giving an exhaustive history of vaccination from an opposition point of view. He declared that all the statistical data gathered by medical men should be doubted, unless supported by incontrovertible independent authority. He quoted statistics of smallpox outbreaks which satisfied him that vaccination was of no controlling effect, and the alderman asserted that sanitation and population density were the main factors in the problem.

TEACHERS REFUSE

Trustee Thorpe of the Saanich School Board was present and asked a number of questions. In turn he was asked as to the Saanich situation, and stated that the board was in difficulties consequent to the issuance of an order that the pupils and staff of one of the large schools must be vaccinated. The principal and a number of the teachers had refused to comply with the order, he said.

A legal opinion was read to the meeting, declaring the only exemption from the vaccination order was obtained by swearing affidavits of objection. The regulations are issued in full accord with the law, the meeting was informed.

SECRECY OF TAX RETURNS MUST BE FULLY PROTECTED

Finance Minister Insists That Information be Kept Confidential

Progressives May Investigate Collections Within Limits of Secrecy Law

By Times Staff Representative

Ottawa, March 30—The Federal Government is standing firm on its policy of strict secrecy in connection with all taxation returns filed by corporations or individuals. Progressive members of the House of Commons who are about to start an investigation into the collection of the income and business profits taxes have been warned by Hon. J. A. Robb, Minister of Finance, that he will not allow the law safeguarding the secrecy of Canadian companies' private financial affairs to be violated.

Parliament decided when imposing the income and business profits taxes, Mr. Robb stated in the House recently, that companies' returns and reports to the Finance Department must be regarded as strictly confidential. In conducting its taxation investigation, Mr. Robb said, the Public Accounts Committee of the House could use its own judgment, always keeping within the law regarding secrecy.

"I should like to say," the Minister added, "that so far as this Government is concerned we have endeavored to carry out the principle of the law and to maintain secrecy as far as possible in connection with these reports."

Mr. Robb remarked that while he, as Minister of Finance, had the right to see all taxation reports and returns he had never attempted to "dig into the affairs of firms or individuals" involved.

The Government, Mr. Robb indicated, regards the principle of secrecy in these matters, laid down by Parliament some years ago, as very important. The Finance Minister offered no objection, however, to the proposed investigation which will go ahead under the direction of W. C. Good, Progressive, and one of the leading figures in the "Ginger" faction of the farmer party.—B.H.

Liquor Evidence Given in Quebec

Quebec, March 30.—William Van Dyke of Montreal, who has office space in a building on Broadway, New York, where, in his own words, he conducted a liquor ship brokerage business, testifying Saturday before the Public Accounts Committee of the Legislative Assembly which is enquiring into the business of the Quebec Liquor Commission, said that in 1923 he was engaged to aid in New York in disposing of the liquor cargo of the steamer Istar and had disposed of 1,201 of her 19,840 cases. He testified that at one time he went from one Quebec liquor Commission store to another, buying at each a bottle of liquor and thus loading up an automobile each day. He, himself, did not smuggle the liquor into the United States, but turned it over to others, who gave him a commission of from ten to fifteen cents a bottle.

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100 MEN READY IN BERLIN TO DO EXECUTIONER'S WORK

Berlin, March 30.—There have been no executions in Berlin since 1921, and it is now being alleged that the number of brutal murders has increased in the German capital because of the disposition of the courts to impose sentences of life imprisonment instead of death.

Berlin has no executioner and the discussions in the papers as to the advisability of restoring capital punishment have brought more than 100 applications from men who want to serve as hangman.

TALKS IN ENGLISH—Cardinal Merry Del Val, who recently established a precedent by addressing a party of Canadian and American tourists at St. Peter's in the English language.

STEEL HOUSES ARE BUILT IN BRITAIN

London, Eng., March 30.—London's first all-steel house—steel everywhere except for its wooden doors, tiled roof and concrete base and chimney flues—has just been formally opened. Even the walls of the rooms and the ceilings are of steel. Three weeks after the start every bit of furniture was in its place. It looks like a pretty country double-fronted one-floor cottage. The outer walls are made of galvanized two-foot square plates stamped into the shape of stone blocks and painted to resemble the same. The roof is tiled with red Somerset tiles.

Every piece of external material is galvanized on both sides to keep it free from wet. The constructors claim for the dwelling a ninety-nine year life, and assert it will be warm in Winter and cool in Summer. The cost is about $2,250, including a six-inch concrete foundation.

TO BE MODERATOR?—Rev. Dr. George C. Pidgeon, who is at present the almost unanimous choice for moderator of the next, and what will be the last general assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

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WILL GIVE YOUTHS BUSINESS STARTS

New York, March 30.—Leopold Schepp, known as the "Cocoanut King," and who for sixty-five years has been accumulating a fortune through production of cocoanut by-products, has begun at the age of eighty-five to "give away" his wealth. The "king's" first thoughts were for his subjects and as a start he presented fifty of his warehouse employees with cheques varying from $500 to $5,000.

Now he has turned to the youth of New York and as an initial step has announced that $2,500,000 of his fortune will be set aside for the building up of a boy's welfare institution.

The institution will have as its objective the starting up in business of boys who have "proved worthy." Mr. Schapp intends securing applicants from church dignitaries and Sunday school heads. When the boys are "ripe" and if they have lived up to a two-year-pledge, including abstinence from drinking, which the "Cocoanut King" intends stipulating, they will be given $200 and started in whatever career they choose. Church denomination will play no part in the selecting of boys for Mr. Schepp's welfare league. His two cardinal beliefs, he says, are:

"All roads lead to heaven."

"There are 249 different ways of worshipping God and all of them are right."

Therefore the aged philanthropist has never joined a church but "worships God in his own way." He would like to see Catholic, Jew and Protestant unite in some great common religion, he declares.

Man Beaten on Head by Robbers

Newark, N.J., March 30.—James Hogan, manager of a department store distributing station here, is in a hospital with a possible skull fracture and serious cuts on the head as the result of being blackjacked when he resisted two robbers who threatened him with death and forced him to open the company's safe, from which they took $773 in cash Saturday. The robbers escaped in an automobile.

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